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(Special Air-Mail Service)

The King's Colt Wins at Newbury.

London, April 4.—The King, the Queen, and the Duke of Gloucester, together with one of the largest crowds that has ever gathered at Newbury, saw his Majesty's colt Limelight win the Newbury Spring Cup on Saturday. Limelight beat the favourite, Solenoid, by a head amid uproarious enthusiasm. It was the first royal victory of the season.

The King was optimistic when he left London earlier, for he said to Sir Ernest Palmer, one of the G.W.R. chiefs who saw him off, "Although my horse is carrying a good weight I think he has a good chance of winning this afternoon." This optimism was well founded, and when the King was congratulated on his return by the station-master, Mr. J. R. C. Williams, he remarked, "I am exceedingly glad that my horse won." The King was wearing a brown lounge suit and bowler hat, and he looked exceedingly well and cheerful as he chatted about the race to those with him.

The royal train reached Paddington from Newbury one minute under schedule time. The journey of fifty-one miles was covered in fifty minutes.

Sir Charles Peers.

Sir Charles Peers, who is to receive to-day the Royal Gold Medal which is annually presented by the King through the Royal Institute of British Architects for services to architecture is the distinguished Chief Inspector of Ancient Monuments of the Office of Works

Throughout the world Sir Charles is recognised as the leading authority on the preservation of ancient monuments, and in his official position he has directed an enlightened policy which has been the model for all similar work elsewhere. The honour of being recipient of the Royal Gold Medal has primarily been conferred on Sir Charles for his services as preserver of our historic buildings.

Lord Denbigh and the H.A.C.

At the request of the Ancient and Honourable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, Sir Percy Bates, chairman of the Cunard Steam Ship Company, Limited, is presenting on their behalf an illuminated address to Lord Denbigh on the occasion of his retirement from the post of Colonel Commandant of the Honourable Artillery Company of London. The presentation will take place at the Cockspur Street Office of the Cunard Company to-day.

The Prince's Golf.

After writing here yesterday on the Prince of Wales' Scottish visit, I was interested to read that the Prince and the Duke of York have lately been playing off the same handicap at Roehampton, both receiving 11 strokes from bogey. At one time the Duke could give his brother a handful of strokes and still beat him, for he was easily the best of the royal golfers. But then he was the earliest in the field. I think I am right in saying that the Prince of Wales was the last of the brothers to be badly bitten by the golf fever, but he is now keenest of them all, with an improving game to encourage him.

Horse Show Abandoned.

There will be no International Horse Show in London this year, all efforts to ensure a continuance of the event having now been abandoned. Since the recent decision of the shareholders to wind up the company hitherto responsible for its organisation several meetings have taken place between a number of prominent sportsmen, exhibitors, and breeders, to consider the possibility of reviving the function. I understand that in view of the financial loss resulting from last year's show the prospects of making a successful venture of a new production could not be envisaged.

A Jubilee of Mystery.

After sixty years of magic and mystery the Maskelyne family are staging a diamond jubilee celebration at Maskelyne's Theatre. There is meat there for all who love magic, whether they admire the grand prepared scene or sit gaping at the ineffable grace and agility of Oswald Williams as he tears up paper and joins it together, blandly explaining to his audience that this is where he secretes the torn portions—and lo! these, too, are joined.

Maskelyne's youngster, a cool troupe of five, show that magic is not a waning art. They are as cool as their masters, as artless and smiling as Miss Mary Maskelyne herself, and gradually as they stroll hither and thither the stage is littered with the old delicious conjurer's confetti of handkerchiefs, cards, and cigarettes. Alas! sixty years of progress in magic have eliminated the rabbit. But there is a goose. And there is still the famous watchword "Now watch this closely." Some of the patter is delightfully out of date, and nothing could be better than the cynicism of Oswald Williams as he implores the audience to slacken their applause while he braces himself for a difficult trick and produces the laughter that screens his wildest bouts of prestidigitation.

Great Cricket Stylist.

Lionel Palairet, who died yesterday, will be remembered less for the runs he made—though he made plenty for Somerset and the Gentlemen—than for the way he made them.

Slim and graceful of build, he was the supreme stylist though his methods might be regarded as a little old-fashioned, or at all events academic.

He stood with his bat handle away from his legs and his arms away from his sides. He had the "one-eyed" stance, and as a natural result of these methods was immensely strong in driving and cover-hitting, but less effective on the leg side.

(Continued on next Column)

WINSTON CHURCHILL SUED

CLAIM TO A TRADE DISCOUNT

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, April 4.—Mr. Winston Churchill was sued at Westminster County Court yesterday by Jackson and Boyce, electrical engineers, Berners-street, W., for £22 14s. 5d. balance of an account for work done and goods supplied to Mr. Churchill's flat at Morpeth-mansions, Victoria.

Mr. Philip Pitt, for Mr. Churchill, asked that the matter should be referred to an expert referee, as it involved technical questions.

Mr. Churchill was advised, he said, by his architect that he had not only fully paid, but had overpaid. The contract price was £222 14s. 5d., and Mr. Churchill had paid £200. The whole matter had to be investigated, and should go back to an independent architect, as it was highly technical.

Mr. A. E. Beecroft, for Jackson and Boyce, opposed the application. There was no reference to any items or allegation of negligence, he said. "Mr. Churchill's architect asked that we should allow Mr. Churchill a trade discount of 25 per cent. My clients say: 'Not at all. We are entitled to keep 25 per cent. as being our own discount. If not, it would mean that Mr. Churchill was being treated as a wholesaler, and not a retailer.'"

Mr. Beecroft added that there were only four items in dispute in a very long account, in which a question of principle, and not merely of amount, was involved.

His Honour: I would like to see in writing full particulars of the defence before I deal with this application.

Mr. Pitt agreed to supply particulars within a week.

The Judge: I will reserve the costs in this application. It is not often one gets so famous a litigant.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S SON DIVORCED

UNDEFENDED CASE.

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, April 4.—In the Divorce Court to-day a *decree nisi* with costs was granted to Mrs. Roberta Ida Freeman Lloyd George on the ground of the misconduct with an unknown woman at a London hotel of her husband, Major Richard Lloyd George, eldest son of Mr. Lloyd George.

Major Lloyd George did not defend the petition.

Mrs. Lloyd George's address was given as St. James's-court, Buckingham Gate, S.W. Her case was that she was happy with her husband until about September last year. In July he left home to go for a holiday. Subsequently she found an hotel bill in his pocket, and as a result of inquiries she instituted divorce proceedings.

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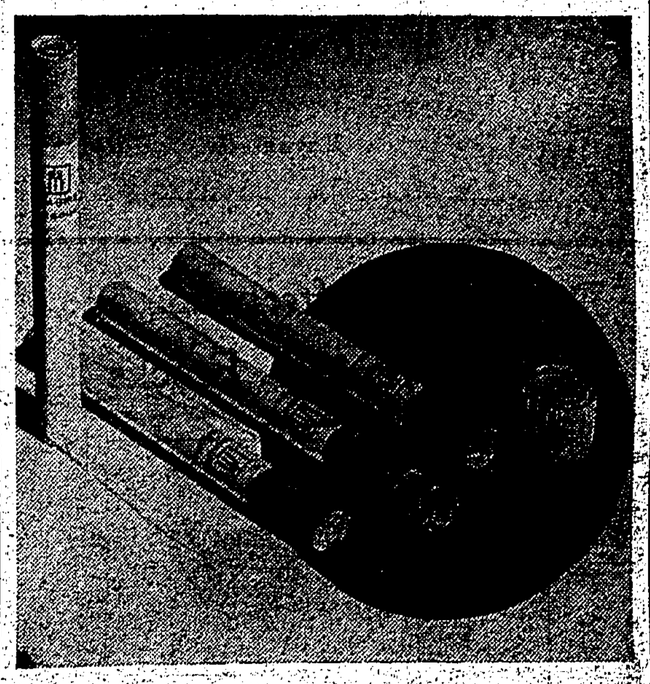

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FASHION goes HIGH HAT

PARIS is having a laugh, not up her sleeve, but under her bonnet. It is all to do with that topmost point of fashion.

Hats are going heaven high. At show after show I looked and wondered. There were dunce's caps blatantly pointed, mitres, and peaks.

What little brims there were on the high caps swept down over the right side-front to soften the faceline, narrowed off at the sides or curved up to the back, where they merged with the crown and struck a high note of interest with a flat group of flowers, a tailored bow, or severe feathered mounts.

One of the moderately high caps was plaited quite boldly in strips of dark brown felt and strands of angora wool in a light stone. The microscopic brim coiled up from the right eyebrow, round the crown, and finished in an upstanding whorl, poised on the top of the crown.

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Another model in this collection charmingly introduces the heavenwards line. "Wings," a delightful down-in-front-up-at-back affair, has the shine of glacé straw gleaming through a fluff of woven-in angora of the same colour, and the wings of self material peeking saucily over the crown from the back.

Trimmings are back in favour, but schooled to a modern austerity. This season, more than ever, "the line's the thing."

It was a relief to find that many of the new models compromised happily between the extremes of high and low.

"Postillion"—a perfect example of this compromise—was shown by Jeff, the young London hat designer. It is a cotton straw looking almost like very fine crochet, its inchwide brim rolled up jauntily at the sides, and the flat, square crown unusually built up an inch or so higher at the back.

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Broad petersham ribbons, in crimson and yellow, banded the crown in the traditional "coachman" style and boldly contrasted with the dark navy of the straw.

Mixtures of materials and colours are going to be very popular this season. Felt and angora, wool and straw, satin and felt, are a few of the "happy marriages."

Ascot demands the new picture hat, and several of the most attractive were gigantic sailors. One in black Baku straw flaunted an airy bow of white organdie, poised dead centre-front of a little square crown, the organdie reappearing as a "tatting-net" to cover the hair at the back under the uptilt.

On the whole it is a milliners' season. Hats are "clever," with much fine work and intricate detail used to enhance the simple lines.

Designers have seized joyously on fabric. Moirés, satins, and even newer versions of the stamped and bubbled crapella crepes are being used to express their art. Some houses are weaving and designing an individual crepe exclusive to themselves.

Hair comes very much into the picture at the side and back of the up-tilt wearing angle, and immaculate dressing is a necessity to show off the new models.

ROUND THE DRESS SHOWS

BEACH SKIRTS do double duty. They unbutton, and can be worn over the shoulders as beach wraps. A white canvas "double-duty" skirt was striped in rainbow colours, and worn with a white wool swim suit.

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MEDICI COLLARS are seen at one collection. A dinner gown in black satin ciré and lace had a white medici collar in lace.

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"MYSTERY" FABRICS are shown by a London designer. Crinkly materials are waxed especially for him, and look like wrinkled highly polished leather. *And they are nameless.*

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"WASP" is the well-chosen name of a bright yellow jersey with fine nigger stripes. It has a white collar and brown skirt.

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STRAW—black, shiny and supple—is used for pockets and a single armlet on a navy blue day frock. It looks unusual and attractive.

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KIMONO frocks are presented in many collections. They may be in silk or wool, patterned or plain, but they are all marvellously "slimming."

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PLUS FOURS in silk were worn with a knitted cotton pullover in bold brown and white stripes. A bright yellow jacket completed the outfit.

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TAPESTRY seems to make an evening coat. But it turns out to black muslin stitched over white cashmere vividly patterned with red flowers and green leaves. The "veil" of black muslin softens the colours and gives a "tapestry" effect.

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STUDS—real "dog-collar" ones—are used to trim the hem of a dull silver lamé evening skirt. The top is handknitted in light silver thread. Another "bright thought" of the clever Russian designer who made the "tapestry" coat described above.

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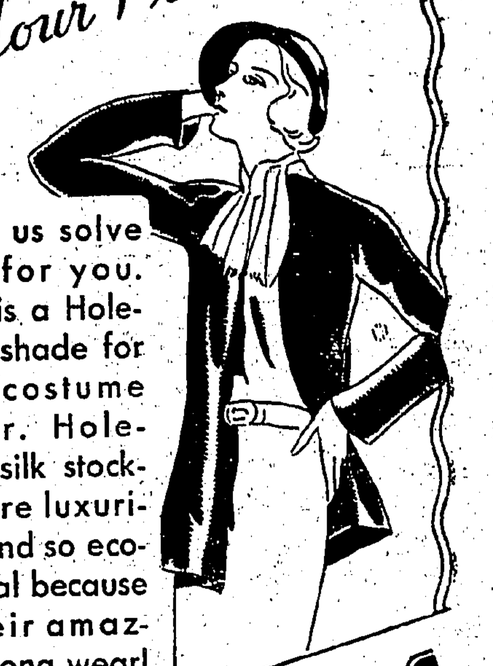

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Round the Town

Seen this Week in Local Shops

ROUND THE TOWN

SEEN THIS WEEK IN LOCAL SHOPS

Easter is over and if the children have recovered from a surfeit of chocolate you really should take your small girls to **Lane Crawfords** and get them some of the delicious little cotton print frocks they are showing in the children's department. What little girl could fail to be delighted with a frock, hat, knickers and bag all to match, especially as they are quite exceptionally pretty.

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For you yourself **Lane Crawfords** have some lovely afternoon or quiet evening frocks in floral chiffon and georgette. The very latest idea, and such a pretty one, is to have an organdie slip under a floral chiffon frock. It serves two purposes, to give a rich *mat* effect to the colours of the chiffon and to give a lovely movement to the dress as you walk. You might not think that 1933 fashions and very considerate of the "not quite so young and slender" figure, but you would be wrong. The dress designers seem to have concentrated much of their efforts on creating styles which give a slender line. A contee effect in front, a fichu, and a clever arrangement of loose panels to give a straight effect below over plump shoulder blades, are points I noticed about some of the frocks I was shown at Lane Crawfords.

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The Dolly Vardon Hat Shop were expecting new frocks and hats yesterday, but I was not able to get in to see them. I leave that to you! You know as well as I do that the Dolly Vardon things are always delightful, and if you don't go in to-day or to-morrow, well you have only yourself to blame if the prettiest things have been snapped up by the time you get there! I noticed however that some delightful low crowned big brimmed hats of natural bangkok had come in since my last visit, and the price

Since the rule of the matching dress and hat is not nearly so rigid this year—and is in fact just a trifle old fashioned, it would certainly be worth while to have one of these hats to wear with a variety of summer frocks.

Now that the rain is coming you will want to get some light yet sturdy shoes to keep out the rain. Canvas and linen are not much use, but you do essentially need *something* cool. The answer of course is leather sandals, and a further point to consider is that they should be nicely finished inside.

Shoe makers don't like the no-stocking fashion, they say that the bare foot tends to loosen the shoe lining. But in the wet weather you are much less likely to catch cold if you do not wear them. But your shoes must be well made inside.

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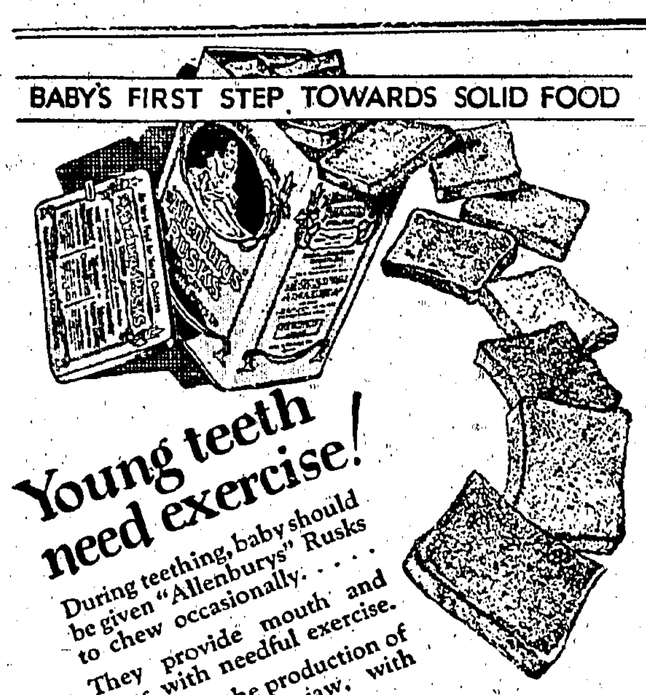

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Don't only avoid potatoes; avoid pronounced patterns in materials; do without butter and bright colours.

Don't drink with your meals or wear conspicuous belts and sashes.

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Take exercise. Study fashion, and what other people are wearing. You can profit by their mistakes as well as their successes.

Remember that grey, although fashionable and "quiet," is very enlarging. Stripes, too, should be avoided as well as sweets.

Don't be tempted to wear very "new" lines or eat new bread!

Blues in dull shades are becoming if you have too much colour, and certain dark pinks and reds if you are pale. Deep greens and sombre purples are good if your hair is white or grey.

Black and white for black and pink are smart if carefully chosen, but can be dowdy if not well thought out.

Pay great attention to detail. If your allowance for dress is small, aim at a few good things chosen to work in with each other rather than a lot of clothes of a cheaper quality.

If you are short, have your hat, dress and shoes to match. If you are too tall, break the length by wearing a contrasting colour for your hat and shoes.

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If your neck is short, do not wear a choker necklace.

It is all common sense really. If your hips are big and your bust small, wear those soft draped necks, but if you have a large bust for mercy's sake avoid all "cowl" effects and try to get length into the line from neck to waist.

Remember that the high lights in shiny materials, such as satin—especially this new lacquer satin—show up curves.

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Do not attempt to wear woolly jumpers or any stockinette unless the garment has been designed and made by some one who really understands the job.

Making The Most of

LEMONS

STAINS on white wood will often yield to a squeeze of lemon juice if left on for half an hour or so and sponged off with clear boiling water.

To clean copper or brass, rub well with a piece of lemon. Sponge with clear warm water, dry and polish with a very soft cloth.

A porcelain sink will be all the whiter if rubbed with lemon dipped in a little sifted ash from your fire grate.

Mildew on linen can often be removed if covered with lemon and salt and left all night. Wash out the stained part in a little milk and leave in the sun to dry. Then wash in usual way.

To whiten handkerchiefs or linen which has become discoloured, add all your odd lemon rinds when boiling up.

Hands which have become rough or stained by fruit or vegetables may be smoothed and cleansed by rubbing with half a lemon. Rinse in cold water. steaming, add a medium slice of lemon.

Butter beans taste so different with a dash of lemon juice instead of the usual white sauce.

A wafer or two of lemon rind in milk puddings and custards will improve the flavour.

Lemon and salt together will clean ivory articles.

Inkstains may sometimes be removed from linen if rubbed with lemon.

TO-DAY'S DINNER MENU

Grape Fruit
Braised Cutlets
Spinach. New Potatoes
Caramel Custard
Coffee

Braised Cutlets.—Place the required number of cutlets in a fireproof dish, add seasoning, diced carrot, and one small onion left whole. Cover with stock and cook in moderate oven until tender and nicely browned. Thicken the gravy. Serve on hot dish, garnished with diced carrot and thin slices of tomato.

1933 UNDIES ARE LESS SEVERE

SHARPEN YOUR OWN SCISSORS

Scissors that have lost their edge may begin a new lease of life if you place the neck of a small glass bottle between the blades and work the scissors as though you were trying to cut off the bottle neck. A steel knitting needle may be used instead of the bottles.

THE DEPRESSION PLANT

ABOUT sixty years ago the fashion of having flowers on the table was established in England, largely owing to American influence. It is difficult to understand that the habit could be so recent, but so it is.

Our debt to America is not what Washington and Downing-street make it out to be; it is largely bathrooms, flowers on the table, tomatoes, and, if you wish, the cinema and central heating.

Flowers on the table has become a habit except with the servants who always shove them on a corner of the sideboard when they lay the table, and think us mad for wanting them back.

But flowers cost more and more money as cultivable soil goes up in value.

So America has taken to chemistry because she cannot afford horticulture. American houses are now cultivating the Depression Plant.

Nothing could be simpler. You take half a dozen lumps of coal, from the size of walnuts to the size of turkey's eggs, you wet them and roll them in ordinary salt till they are white.

Pile them in a pretty dish, rockery fashion, with a tablespoonful of water in the bottom. Never let the bottom get quite dry, nor the salt dry from the coal; keep the whole thing vaguely moist.

In a fortnight, or a day or two more, crystals begin to form in bunches on the coal, and they make fantastic and beautiful shapes of their own. Nobody can foresee how they will go. People make appointments to go and have tea or dinner to see what the Depression Plant will have done this time next week.

The wise ones start two or three at different times, and always have one coming on. It is possible to colour the crystals by colouring the salt.

Get your fingers dirty once and your table beautiful for weeks. But you cannot hurry it. Begin now, keep it quiet, and you'll be a fortnight ahead of the friend who sees it in your house, and wants it at once—as we all want something that is both lovely and amusing.

Perhaps the best thing about it, apart from the fun of seeing something good-looking and attractive, is the fact that it is made of coal and salt. Coal means warmth and household happiness, salt means health and prosperity.

That is why the Celts, who know the household gods, take coal and salt to a housewarming. So the Depression Plant housewarms us in this chilly time—good luck to it and us. Besides, it's so chic!

Hats and Frocks in Paris

THE hat lifted at the back and side by a cachecomb is spring like. It may be straw, with the cachecomb in flowers as the only trimming. It may be in ribbon—plain, tartan, striped, or with some sort of geometrical pattern—or perhaps in taffetas, and the cachecomb will be hidden by drapery.

Little bright tufts of feathers give a vivid touch of colour to a dark hat. A turquoise blue fez-shaped hat with openwork embroidery and a jewel as the only trimming is made by Lemmonier, and looks charming with a black or grey ensemble.

The flower toque is worn again with an eye veil and a little throat ruche of flowers to match. Agnès has a close-fitting toque which is made of silk net covered closely with pea-sized balls of silk. In black or white, with a diamond ornament and a veil, this little toque is one of the most practical and becoming of the spring season.

Hats are certainly worn straighter, but not straight, and the hair is most becomingly arranged to show at the side and back.

Amusing clothes made by Schiaparelli always call for attention and criticism. She does not mind the criticism because she has captured her public—two publics, the buying public and the artistic public.

Talk Of the Town

Her amusing hats, her high waistline, her unusual colour harmonies, her special kind of scarves, fronts, buttons, and clips—they are the talk of the town.

This season every one is talking of her broad shoulder line and her chalk line printed silks, her taffetas inside frills to evening skirts (*les balayeuses*), and what she calls her circus hats.

Schiaparelli gives her own inventions funny names. She calls her shoulder line geometrical, and the stand-up collars which outline it "shoulder trays."

Other people have called them yokes, the yoke which farm labourers carry on which they sling their buckets. When worn by pretty young women they are really attractive.

Her new colours are eel grey, Shanghai red, wheat yellow, and quinquina brown, Leitchi pink, mussel blue, and gillyflower mauve. I hope you can see these colours in the mind's eye; all are explained by the names, except, I think, Leitchi pink. This is neither bright nor dark, but just a pink that cannot be described.

Silk and wool canvases are among the very interesting materials Schiaparelli uses. They are something between marocain and jersey; the weave and the weight are just right.

The chalk line printed silks are a triumph. Broadly, irregularly drawn, as it were, by hand, dull white plaids are printed on black and brown silks. These make most distinguished afternoon frocks.

Moirelsa is a light silk voile with a fine satin stripe, crêpe Chantilly is a silk voile creped; serjaclock is a cloqué or blistered silk with a regular pattern of diagonal ridges; devils' skin is a silk with small, bright scales. Then there are the ordinary jerseys of the clinging kind that Schiaparelli likes to work with.

She makes very simple cotton and linen frocks, some flannel-like beach pyjamas, and a lot of little tailormade ensembles of skirt and wide shouldered short coat with a high neck, slide fastenings and lower waistline.

"MAKE-UP" FOR JEWELLERY

EVERY now and again Dame Fashion frowns on a certain article of jewellery, and we have to lay it aside until that fickle lady gives us permission to display it again.

A case in point is the brooch, which has been "out" for some time, but is once more to have a prominent place in our personal adornment.

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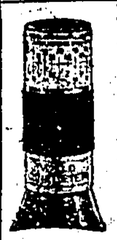

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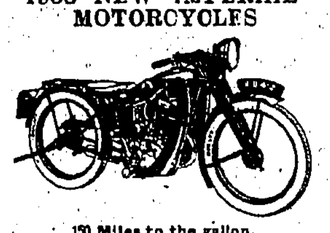

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11 to 11.30 a.m.—Stock and exchange quotations, weather report.

11.30 a.m.—Chinese recorded programme.

12.30 p.m.—European programme of Columbia and Regal records.

1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press news, selected London and New York stock quotations, etc.

2 p.m.—Close down.

Relay of the Melodian's Trio To-night.

5-8 p.m.—Chinese programme.

5-7.30 p.m.—Recorded programme.

7.30-8 p.m.—A relay from the Hop Yat Church of the speech by Dr. K. Y. Lai, M.B., B.Sc., (H.K.U.) on "The Science of Children's Health."

8-10.30 p.m.—European programme.

8 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

8.3-9 p.m.—A relay of the Melodian's Trio from Lane, Crawford's Restaurant by courtesy of the management.

9-9.50 p.m.—

Variety.

Orchestral—"A Country Girl"—Selection—London Theatre Orchestra.—DX45.

Vocal Gems—"Helen"—Columbia Light Opera Company.—DX331.

Song—"A Coople O'Dooks."

Song—"'Nowt About 'Owt"—Raymond Newell (Baritone).—DB131.

Band—"Cavalcade"—Selected Debroy Somers Band.—DX305.

Song—"That's What I Like About You."

Song—"What Are You Thinkin' About Baby?"—Phyllis Robins (Comedienne).—DB653.

Organ Solo—"Isn't It Romantic?"

Organ Solo—"Let's Put Out the Lights"—Sidney Torch.—DB995.

Song—"Just Because I Lost My Heart to You."

Song—"To-day I Feel so Happy"—Renate Muller (Soprano).—DB667.

9.50-10.27 p.m.—

A Concert.

Orchestra—"Offenbachiana"—Herman Finck and His Orchestra.—DX327.

Vocal Duet—"Marigold" (Dowdon and Besley).

Vocal Duet—"The Sweetest Flower That Blows (Hawley)—Dora Labbette and Hubert Eisdell.

Piano Solo—"Valse Impromptu" (Liszt).

Piano Solo—"Rondeau Favori in E Flat Major" (Hummel)—Ania Dorfmann.—DX294.

Chorus—"Ye Banks and Brace" (Old Scottish Air).

Chorus—"Golden Slumbers Kiss Your Eyes"—Boys of the St. Mary of the Angels Choir School.—DB987.

Octet—"Moonbeams and Shadows (Squire).

Octet—"Melody" (Dawes)—J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.—5639.

10.27 p.m.—Rugby Press news.

10.30 p.m.—Close down.

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6.10 p.m.—Spanish Informational Period.

6.30 p.m.—English Informational Period.

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8.50 p.m.—Studio Music.

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Rotary Club Dinner, Gloucester Building, 7.30 p.m.

Children's Day Exhibition and Health Contest, Hop Yat Church, Bonham Road; Broadcast Address by K. Y. Lai, 7.30 p.m.

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With Pilot Ben Lyon at the controls, flying formed the most popular recreation of the cast of "Indiscreet," which comes to the King's Theatre next Sunday.

Lyon, who has the leading male *role* opposite Miss Swanson, who learned to pilot a plane, and received a license during the filming of "Hell's Angels," was in the habit of going to a nearby flying field in the evening when the day's work was done, and do an hour or so of pleasurable flying about. Soon Arthur Lake, who got his air experience in "Air Circus," asked to go along, and the two of them did considerable flying. Other members of the cast, including Monroe Owsley, Barbara Kent and Madue Eburne received rides from young Lyon after work on the picture had ceased for the day, even making a devout air enthusiast of Owsley, who at first had some misgivings.

Miss Swanson, however, surprised everybody by flying onto the field one evening when it was thought she had gone home. She had chartered her own plane and challenged Lyon and Owsley to a race. Needless to say, it was a thrilling affair; with members of the cast on the ground holding an impromptu cheering section.

While there is no flying in her latest comedy-drama, Miss Swanson is starred in an ultra modern story, lending itself appealing to her characterization. It was written by De Sylva, Brown and Henderson, song writers turned dramatic authors, and she turns in one of the finest performances of her career. Leo McCarey, who directed "Lets go Native," and "Part time Wife," directed the picture in his happy, buoyant manner.

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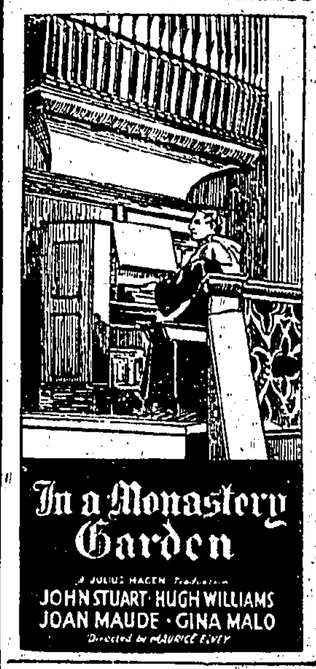

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"HANDLE WITH CARE"

RULES FOR HOLLYWOOD'S BABY ACTORS

Hollywood, ever anxious to discover a new Jackie Coogan or a new Jackie Cooper, has been carrying on a baby-hunt for years.

But the hunt in Hollywood is a two-sided affair, with the parents even more avid in their quest than the searchers from the studios. And this is true even though the path is not an easy one for the fortunate youngsters discovered.

Once the little Mallory or Baxter is found in someone's home, the greatest worries of parents and studios alike begin. A perplexing maze of ironbound rules and regulations must be fulfilled before the youngster is allowed to begin his film career.

For instance, here are but a few of the "musts" that Buster Phelps and George Ernest, appearing with James Dunn and Boots Mallory in "Handle With Care," had to abide by in their appearances before the camera on the Fox lot.

To use children in pictures, the studios must first get a permit from the welfare department of the Board of Education of Los Angeles. This necessitates the written permission of the parents or guardian. The youngster must then be examined by a reputable physician and declared to be in perfect health. The studio must at all times furnish a closed car to transport the youngster and his mother or nurse to and from the studio.

The studios must also provide a complete nursery on each set using very young children. This takes in the necessity of providing sterilized sheets, towels and other equipment, all under the supervision of a registered nurse. The nurse is required even if the mother accompanies her baby.

A young baby must at no time be exposed to the lights of the scene for more than thirty seconds, and not for more than two minutes out of any two hours. And these two hours constitute the youngster's full working day.

Each major studio had a schoolhouse and licensed instructors. Because Movietone City covers such a wide area, Fox Films had had to provide a portable schoolhouse

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THE LOVE DEBT

FAY'S FIRST PICTURE SINCE FUNG MURDER

In spite of the fact that all tragedies are food for the publicist, one was rather shocked when the Oriental Theatre, Wanchai, featured Lai Ming Fay's first film since the Fung Murder, as the story of her life.

For those who do not know the facts, Fay's tragedy is just a year old and is quickly grasped. A comparatively well-known film actress, she came to Hong Kong to stay with her betrothed and met an old friend with whom she fell in love. For nearly a year the two fought against the power that attracted them but found it too strong. Her betrothed, who was a friend of the man who surplanted him in Fay's regard, grew jealous, and so said the verdict, procured assassins to destroy him. Her lover was shot in Village Road, Happy Valley, as she walked leaning on his arm.

"The Love Debt," in a manner of speaking, does follow the lines of the earlier part of the true story—but there is no tragedy, only the real humour and innocent disappointment which gives and suffers no sting. Instead of murder there is a happy ending.

To those who doubt their ability to understand an All-Chinese talkie, I would add that the acting was good—unusually so—and in seeing "The Love Debt" they will have the satisfaction of judging for themselves as to the manner of woman who brought *a crime passionalle* into our midst, for as she acts, so she is in real life.

E. C.

A WRESTLING FILM

WALLACE BEERY'S IN THE LEAD.

Wallace Beery's great success as a prize fight champion in "The Champ" has inspired his reappearance *as a champion of the* wrestling ring in "Flesh," his latest Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starring film which is showing from Sunday at the Queen's Theatre. The story starts in Germany, where Wally is a wrestling waiter, and concludes with his crossing to America to seek the world's title. Included in the large supporting cast of this dramatic spectacle which John Ford directed are Karen Morley, Ricardo Cortez, Jean Hersholt, John Miljan, Vince Barnett and Wladek Zbyszko, three-time world's mat champion.

John Stuart, Hugh Williams, Joan Maude and Gina Malo. Before anyone criticizes British films again, let him or her see "In a Monastery Garden."

S. H.

"CARNIVAL BOAT"

THRILLING LOG CAMP SCENES

A romance of the logging camps the first since sound was combined with motion pictures. "Carnival Boat" now showing at the Central Theatre proves to be an exciting and novel successor of Bill Boyd's previous picture, "Suicide Fleet." Romance and comedy are set against some of the most thrilling and beautiful mountain woods scenes and screen has ever shown. In the atmosphere of the logging camp and a river carnival show-boat the love story of young lumberman and a red-haired singer is told. Bill Boyd is seen as the lumberman and Ginger Rogers plays "Honey."

Fast-moving action centers around the efforts of Boyd to deliver the logs to the mills before the rains start. Dramatic highlights are found when Bill rides across a logging high-line to reach a runaway locomotive on which his father is struggling to make defective brakes hold. The fight between Fred Kohler, as the menacing "Hack," and Boyd is so realistic that you forget they are in front of a camera and Boyd's race across a log jam with dynamite to break it brings the thrilling action to a climax. Albert Rogell directed, with fine judgment. In addition to those mentioned the cast also includes Hobart Bosworth, Marie Prevost, Edgar Kennedy and Harry Sweet.

"Carnival Boat" is an Rko Pathe production of the story by Marion Jackson and Don Ryan. The screenplay was written by Jane Seymour.

AT THE QUEEN'S

"IN A MONASTERY GARDEN"

EXCELLENT PICTURE

Those who really care for good music—soft, melodious, music that one so seldom hears in a talking picture—should go to the current film at the Queen's Theatre, "In a Monastery Garden."

So often has the musical accompaniment of a talking film been described (and in many cases, quite justly) as "tin-can" stuff, that it is indeed a revelation to hear the splendid reproduction of good music that is part and parcel of the story told in this film of unusual beauty and romance.

Lest we should appear to appreciate only the music, it should be at once stated that there is nothing in the least "high-brow" about this film or its music, for there are violin and organ solos, light and tuneful that would move even the most ardent supporter of "Jazz" into admitting the charms of this form of music.

Any other accompaniment would be incongruous in this film, depicting as it does the romance of a man who is able to subdue himself, and return willingly to the monastery. Only one thought lives with him, the happiness of the woman he loves, and to that end no sacrifice is too big and no penalties too severe.

To tell the story here would be to rob the film of some of its appeal. It is sufficient perhaps to say that seldom has such a good story been told on the screen. The setting is beautiful without lavishness; the ballet items are extremely well done and the acting reaches a height which will enhance the reputation of British films in general and the stars in particular. The leading roles are in the hands of

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A HANDFUL OF CHINESE STREET LITERATURE

AN ECCENTRIC PRINCESS; LIFE'S LEDGER; AND SOME UNCANNY TALES

The Self-Willed Princess.

Hui Kia Ko i.e. the song of return. A high official of the Tang Dynasty has a daughter who is as fair as she is eccentric. Her father tries to get her a good husband. The sons of the grandees are presented to her, while she is standing on the balcony of the palace. She announces to them, that she will throw a ball among them, and he who is able to catch it, will be the elected one. Then she discovers, that, not far from the crowd of brilliant courtiers, a young peasant is standing. Though poorly clad, he is a man of fine build with a bold, intelligent face. Amusingly he is watching the scene. Towards him the ball is thrown, and though the courtiers try to push him aside, with a firm hand he holds fast to "the golden opportunity of the gods." Father and mother are highly alarmed, but she stands firm. With his bold action, ambition enters the soul of the youth: I will show myself worthy of thy choice. Waving a salute to the girl, he goes abroad, enters a neighbouring state, distinguishes himself there as a military hero, high official and statesman, in such a manner, that even the daughter of the king is proposed to him. But he cannot forget the fair ball thrower, who must have grown rather old. Nevertheless he returns and marries her.

Life's Ledger.

Kung Ko Ki, i.e. the list of virtues and transgressions. You may call this an insignificant story, an instruction in self-knowledge and self-judgment. The tract is to be issued by a temple society.

"There are Chinese, and perhaps not a few, who are keeping a daily account of their good and bad deeds. The single acts, as far as they can be recollected, are appraised under the two headings, being classified after the Kung Ko list, and entered conscientiously, to the credit or debit side of life's ledger. For instance, I found the following entries: to giving alms to a poor (especially the blind people!)—10 points, the rescue of a bird or a fish—20 points, the lending of an umbrella—5 points, exhortation to love the parents—50 points, the sparing of a worm which is deliberately stepped over by the walking foot—25 points, implicit obedience to an order of father and mother—200 points. While on the debit-side the following items are entered: repeating a filthy joke, smoking opium, diffusing obscene literature (entered with an unusual high "death-number!") blaming father and mother, ill-treatment of one's wife or the mother of one's children, beating and cursing your own children for some trivial reason.

I once made the acquaintance of a kind, old gentleman who showed me his Kung Ko Ki. With a smile of embarrassment, he acknowledged, that he had kept these records for nearly 30 years. I remembered the saying of an old philosophical friend, who reminded me, never to smile, never to weep about such occurrences, but to try and to understand all. And so I asked my old Chinese neighbour, what was the result of the summing up, of his accounts perhaps with the help of a calculating machine. He avowed humbly, that always his Ko would surpass his Kung. And then? I inquired. Well, Sir, there remains nothing to be left, than to bring a sacrifice to Kwan On, the goddess of mercy. What else can a man do?

I confess, that when I had left my good neighbour, I was deeply touched, and I began to read again that famous passage in my New Testament (Luke 18, 11 of the two worshippers in the temple. There also is described a sincere Kung Ko Ki, displayed in the face of One, who appreciates the lending of an umbrella on a raining day, as he appreciates the giving of a cup of cold water to a thirsty child. But after all, I prefer in that eve of every one's life when balancing the whole account, that confession of greater sincerity: "God, be merciful to me, a sinner."

Buddhistic Tales.

I must close my little study, and should like to make up a good number of the little stories, contained in the street literature. There are some genuine Buddhistic tales, included in that handful which were hitherto not very well-known to me.

The one is the story of the three wanderers, who play a rôle in our Anglo-Saxon folk-lore. There are three wandering students, who are entering a roadside inn for a night shelter. "O hostess wife, thy fare is fine, but where is thy fair daughter who tastes the wine." In the only vacant room, the girl just dead is laid out. And then the three young men step up to the open coffin, cup in hand. The one is silent and deeply moved, and the second exclaims: "O, that thou wouldst be alive again, I would love thee from this time." And the last one breaks out into tears and confesses: "Thee I have loved, and love thee to day, and will love thee in all eternity."

The Chinese counterpart takes another turn. Three wanderers enter an inn, but there is no room available. The only one is occupied by the dead body of the fair daughter of the landlord. If the guests would not object to it, three beds could be put up there. Two of the wanderers are overtired, and fall asleep. But the third one, lying near the door, cannot turn his eyes from the stiff body, covered with a shroud. And then in the dim light of a small lamp, burning at the head of the dead girl, he is seeing with horror, how the linen is moving, and the dead girl ascends, and is leaning over the first sleeper, and his breathing is stopping short. And now she is approaching the second sleeper. Then the third one flings open the door, and rushes into the night. The phantom is behind him. He is panting up the hill through the dark trees. On the top of the hill, there is a Buddhist monastery. A mighty tree overshadows the roof of the cloister. Around that tree, they are chasing. Suddenly the phantom turns round, but the pursued man suddenly falls and crouches under the stem. In the light of a new day, when the door-keeper opens the gate, to ring the morning bell, he sees the body of a dead youth, and over him is leaning the dead girl, with her finger nails clawing the bark of the tree.

The second tale deals with a poor peasant, who is living with his wife in the direst need. One child after another is born, but full of wrath against the gods, he flings the new born children into the lake.

Then his fate turns. He is growing rich. The gods are granting him the long desired heir. All love and tenderness is shown to that child. One evening, the peasant is standing on the lake, gazing over the dark waters. Suddenly the child, he is holding in his arms, is speaking to him, not with the voice of a child, but of that of a grown up man: "Do you remember, father, how thou threw me away, to be drowned? Canst thou evade the wrath of the gods? The peasant entered a monastery,—so the story-teller closes his narrative, adding some remarks about infanticide and birth-control, which must need invoke the avengeance of the gods.

And finally the last story, which is not wanting in the ghastly features of much of the Buddhistic literature. The story is called Kwu Lu Shan i.e. the mountain of skulls.

Some one is pondering about the riddles and mysteries of life, and is falling asleep. A veiled figure is approaching him and says: follow me, I will show thee thine own mystery. He is led to a high mountain, and as they walk on and on the ascent becomes more and more. A deathly smell is encompassing him on his path. His feet are stumbling against stones, which are rolling over the slopes and edges of the rocks, tumbling into the abyss. He falls in shere exhaustion to the ground, and his fingers are not grasping rolling stones but human skulls. And at least he is standing on the summit. And he is gazing far away at the ranges of mountains, stretching into infinite remoteness. A pale light lies on the mountain-ranges. "Look around thee, says the voice, these all are skulls, all thine own skulls, and in every one of thine own skulls, the world has been aglow in her joys and her bliss, in her miseries and griefs. Eternally thou will be thrown upward by the Lun Hui T'o Sheng i.e. the inexorable wheel of life. And then an old Buddhistic hymn is added, which is running as follows:—

And hast thou gained a world as thine possession,
Be not delighted,—for it's naught.
And is a world's possession vanishing before thee,
Be not grieved for it,—for it's naught.
All pleasures and all joys are passing,
Go, pass the world—for it is naught.

THE SLAYER OF MRS. WOODROFF

HOW THE MAN WAS ARRESTED

Harbin, March 28.—Following the murder of Mrs. Woodroff last year by a bandit who was one of several who stopped the car, the Consular Body of Harbin made a strong protest to the Police and it was not long, before four men were arrested, one of them being recognised by the chauffeur of the car in which she was driving, as the man who had sprung on the foot-board and fired at him.

The examination of these men elicited the information that there was a leader who was well-known in the criminal world and who had escaped from Harbin, but the detective police force of the city has kept close watch for this man and at the beginning of this month received information that he had returned to the Chinese part of the town. By a clever ruse the police succeeded in catching him in a small Chinese house and at the same time found in his premises a large box containing the different clothes that he wore on the occasions when he carried out his kidnapping and bandit acts. Amongst these clothes were found ordinary Chinese civilian clothing, a Russian suit of clothes and that of a Chinese military man, and it was the fact of his constant change of clothing which so completely threw the detectives off his tracks on several previous occasions.

On being examined at the chief detective station of Harbin, he callously stated that he himself had fired the fatal shot at Mrs. Woodroff being enraged at her preventing him from kidnapping the children. Only 20 years of age and very nimble, he was able to run much faster than any of the others engaged in the kidnapping and it will be remembered that in the accounts of this tragic incident, it was stated that one of the bandits was far in advance of the others when they were running away.

The news of his capture and of his confession was immediately conveyed by the police department to the Consular Body and further it was stated that he would be shot without any further trial.

FLYING—AS IT WILL BE

Sir R. Glazebrook's Anticipations

AUTOGYROS TO LAND IN TOWNS

Some of the coming developments of flying, by Sir Richard Glazebrook, who is retiring from the chairmanship of the Aeronautical Research Committee after 20 years' work, were the following:

Autogyros which can land and take off in the middle of cities, and which will be regularly used for journeys between towns in the British Isles.

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Flying boats, with terminal points at ports or on lakes, as long-distance carriers.

Diesel engines replacing petrol engines in aircraft, giving greater safety from fire and requiring smaller loads of fuel.

Sir Richard, then Director of the National Physical Laboratory at Teddington, was in charge of aeronautical research in the year after the Wright Brothers brought their 37-miles-an-hour machine to England, and during his work he has seen the speed of flight multiplied more than tenfold.

Importance of Research.

During the War he played an important part in bringing British to her then premier position as a flying Power. He holds that it is vital, in present conditions, that aeronautical research should be maintained at a high level of efficiency.

"The question of autogyros is at present being considered," he said. "I think it may be taken as definite that they will be sufficiently improved to play a serious part in local transport, for example, for such journeys as from London to Birmingham.

"Aeroplane speeds are certain to be largely increased, but in civilian flying I believe that the chief saving in time will be through improving ground organisation. A great deal of attention, too, is being devoted to the reduction of noise, and already the cabins of the most modern machines are comparable in this respect with a first-class railway carriage.

"Diesel engines, if their weights are sufficiently reduced, will provide either increased range on long-distance routes or greater useful loads. There is also a prospect of the development of lighter alloys, which would have the same effect.

Cheaper Aircraft.

"On the construction side the replacement of bolts by welding will make for cheaper aircraft.

"Of the central problems of air-

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craft stability, that of stability in the direction of flight has already been solved. Work is proceeding on the problem of lateral stability, which is closely connected with vertical spin.

"For military machines this is an important problem. Spin is likely to be conquered by the construction of aeroplanes which can be brought out of spins with certainty. If it can be used with safety, controlled spin is a useful weapon in the armoury of the pilot."

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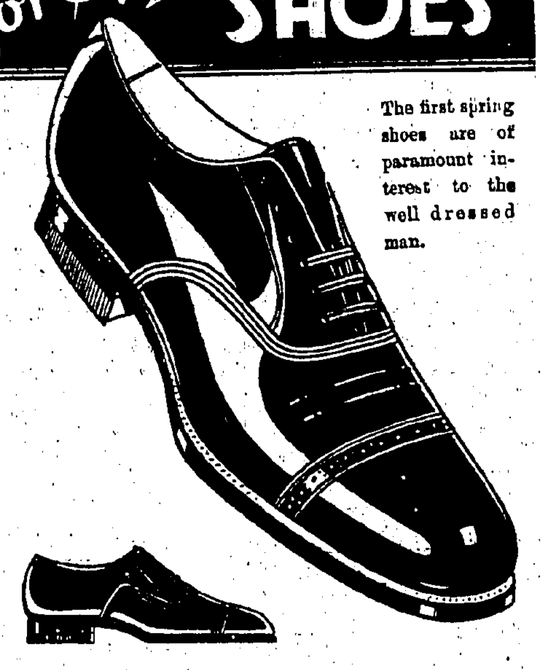

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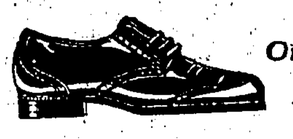

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BOARD OF EDUCATION

WELCOME TO NEW DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

The 88th meeting of the Board of Education was held on Wednesday, April 19, at 3 o'clock, those present being:—Director of Education (Mr. N. L. Smith, B.A.), Chairman, Senior Inspector of English Schools (Mr. A. R. Sutherland, M.A.), Senior Inspector of Vernacular Schools (Mr. Y. P. Law, B.A.), Mr. A. di Arculli, Rev. Fr. Byrne, S.J., Ph.D., Capt. P. S. Cannon, M.A., A.E.C., Mr. Leo D'Almada e Castro, Jr., Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E., Sir William Hornell, C.I.E., M.A., Rev. F. Short, Hon. Mr. S. W. Tso, O.B.E., LL.D., Mr. H. K. Woo, LL.B.

Sir William Hornell, on behalf of the Board, welcomed the new Director of Education.

The Chairman, on behalf of the Board, welcomed Mr. Leo D'Almada e Castro, Jr., who had been appointed a member of the Board.

The Chairman informed the Board that the new Junior Technical School was opened early in February.

The Reports of the Medical Officer of Schools for the months of January and February were laid on the table.

Resolutions Passed.

The following resolutions were carried unanimously:—

(a.)—"That the Board desires to place on record its deep appreciation of the services rendered to the Colony's education by Mr. G. P. de Martin during his 29 years of service as Master, Inspector of Schools and Director of Education.

(b.)—"That the Board appoint a Committee consisting of the Chairman, the Hon. Mr. S. W. Tso, and Mr. B. Wylie to consider the Education Department Estimates for 1934 and to report to the Board."

(c.)—"That this Board recommend that the Governor in Council should make the following additions to the Regulations made under section 12 of the Education Ordinance:—

23A.—"Every manager of a registered school in respect of which registration is or may be under consideration shall give or cause to be given to the Chief Officer of the Fire Brigade, or to any officer of the Fire Brigade deputed by him, all reasonable facilities to inspect, from time to time, the school premises with a view to ascertaining the precautions taken and available against fire and the suitability of such premises for use as a schooling touching matters with which the Fire Brigade is concerned, and reporting thereon to the Director.

Every such manager shall comply with the requirements considered and notified by the Director to be necessary for the proper conduct of the school as regards precautions and steps to be taken to prevent or mitigate danger or accident from fire."

(d.)—"That the Board recommend to the Government that Regulation 8 of the Regulations made under section 12 of the Education Ordinance, 1913, be rescinded and the following substituted:—

8.—Latrine accommodation shall be provided in every school to the satisfaction of the Director."

Leaving Certificates.

(e.)—"That the Board recommend to Government the substitution of the following Regulation for the present Regulation 18:—

18.—Before any teacher is employed in any school the written *permission of the Director for* the particular employment contemplated must be obtained. Where the application is for permission to employ a male person as a teacher in a school for girls such application must be accompanied by a written statement, made by the applicant, of the special circumstances on which the application is based."

(f.)—"That the Board appoint the following Committee to deal with all questions in connection with the proposed School Leaving Certificate and Matriculation Examinations:—Director of Education, Inspector of English Schools, Rev. A. D. Stewart, Rev. C. Byrne, Rev. F. Short."

REFUSED TO JOIN SOCIETY

ABERDEEN FISHERMAN ASSAULTED.

The story of how an Aberdeen fisherman was assaulted after having refused to join an unlawful society was related to Mr. Schofield at Central Magistracy when two Chinese were charged with causing grievous bodily harm to Chun Cho Tak.

Sergeant J. O'Donovan appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. Horace Lo represented the defendants.

Outlining the case, Sergeant O'Donovan said on the morning of March 24 the complainant, a fisherman in Aberdeen, was walking along a street in Aberdeen when he was accosted by the defendants and a man named Ah Pak, who was not in custody. Ah Pak, it was alleged, asked the complainant to join a certain unlawful society at the same time demanding $3.60 as subscriptions. The complainant refused saying he had no money, and Ah Pak then threatened to assault him.

Nothing further happened until the evening of March 29 when the complainant was sitting on a seawall with two companions. It was alleged that the defendants together with Ah Pak came up from behind and pushed the complainant over the wall into the sea. The tide was out at the time, and the complainant fell on some rocks and suffered severe injuries to his head. It was in fact Ah Pak, the man not in custody, who did the act.

A report was later made to the Police and a Chinese detective was sent out to look for the offenders. The first defendant was found in a sampan in the middle of Aberdeen harbour and when he saw the detective he jumped into the water. He was eventually arrested with the assistance of several sampan people. The second defendant was arrested the next day in a house in Aberdeen.

Defendants Discharged.

After evidence had been given by the complainant and another witness who both stated that it was Ah Pak who committed the assault although both the defendants were present at the time, His Worship discharged the defendants saying that there was insufficient evidence to implicate them.

"NO CASE FOR THE JURY"

CHIEF JUSTICE'S DECISION IN DEPORTATION CASE

Mr. Justice Wood, Acting Chief Justice, yesterday directed that there was no case to go to the jury in the proceedings against a Chinese named Kwok Ping who was charged with breach of a deportation order.

At a previous hearing, Mr. Macnamara for the defence had submitted that there was no case to answer as the Order under which the banishment was effected was not a valid one.

In giving his decision, his Lordship said that the Crown in reply to Mr. Macnamara's submission contended that the Court would not consider the point of the defence in the present proceedings or any proceedings whatsoever. The Crown relied in that portion of its argument on section 12 (1) of the Deportation Ordinance 1917, which stated "In any proceedings whatsoever a Deportation Order signed by the Clerk of Councils—shall be deemed conclusive evidence that the Deportation Order was duly and validly made and issued against the person named in such order" His Lordship had formed the opinion that the limitation placed on that section upon the proceedings of the Court could only apply if the terms of the Ordinance had been complied with on the face of the proceedings. The section was intended to prevent any question from arising as to the operation of a Deportation Order in respect of which the Ordinance had been complied with, or, in other words, on the face of which no defect was to be observed.

The Ordinance provided two separate types of procedure in deportation for aliens and British Subjects. In the case of an alien a No. 7A form should be used and in the case of a British Subject a form 7. The two forms resembled each other closely and the form of Order with which the present indictment was concerned was Form No. 7. It was not open to the Court in the present proceedings to inquire whether the accused before the Order was issued against him was afforded all the facilities provided by the Ordinance to protect the liberty of a British Subject. If the Deportation Order in question was rightly to be regarded as an Order made against a British Subject the objection must prevail. It had been contended for the defendant that the Order so regarded was invalid on the face of it for two reasons the first being *that an alien before he may* be deported must have been "convicted in the Colony" of an offence, whereas in the Deportation Order no conviction "in the Colony" has been alleged. The second reason was that there had been a material and fatal departure from the Form itself. Both contentions had commended themselves to his Lordship's judgment.

No question here arose affecting the exercise by the Governor-in-Council of a discretion under the Ordinance. The officers charged with the duty of giving effect to the decisions of the Governor-in-Council had omitted to comply with the Ordinance and their omission was apparent upon the face of the Order itself.

His Lordship held there was no case to go to the Jury.

UTTERING A FORGED DOCUMENT

CLEVER YOUNG CHINESE SENT TO PRISON

A charge of uttering a forged document was preferred against a young soap manufacturer at Central Magistracy yesterday.

Prosecuting on behalf of the police Detective Sergeant Nolloth said the defendant was employed by Yung Kam Chung, of 29, Tang Lung Street, for the purpose of manufacturing straws and soaps. Defendant represented to complainant that he was obtaining the chemicals for the soap making from Rowly Williams and Company, but the complainant becoming suspicious made inquiries, and found that such a company was not existent. Defendant produced a document from this Company for chemicals, whereas in fact he was really supplying the chemicals himself, and obtaining payment for them.

Sergeant Nolloth went on to say that four bottles containing mixtures prepared by the defendant had been examined by the Government Analyst who had given his opinion that soap could be manufactured from them. Defendant was a really clever boy, and could make soap, and it was a pity he had allowed his career to be ruined. The complainant had, however, not acted quite fairly to the defendant, for he only paid him $9 a month, which was quite a poor salary in view of his abilities.

Mr. Schofield sentenced the defendant to three months' hard labour remarking that the case was a serious one.

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NET PROFIT $3,256

The yearly meeting of shareholders of the above company is to be held at the offices of Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews, on Wednesday, May 3, at noon.

The Directors will submit the following Statement of Accounts and Balance Sheet for the year ended on the December 21, 1932.

The Net Profit for the year, after charging $8,985.42 for Depreciation and providing for Directors' and Auditors' fees, amounts to $3,256.03, to which has to be added balance brought forward from last account, $85,039.08, making a total of $88,055.11, which it is recommended should be carried forward to the credit of next year's account.

Mr. Lo Cheung Shiu and Mr. J. Scott Harston retire by rotation, and, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

The accounts for the have been audited by Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews, Chartered Accountants, who, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

YOUNG EX-BANISHEE SENTENCED

SNATCHED $100 FROM MONEY CHANGER.

For the theft of $100 from a money changer's establishment, a Chinese youth, an ex-banishee whose term of deportation from the Colony had recently expired, was sentenced to six months' hard labour by Mr. Wynne-Jones at Central Magistracy yesterday.

Inspector Brennan, who prosecuted, said that defendant sat in the shop for some time, apparently awaiting an opportunity to steal. He snatched the money from the counter and ran into the arms of a detective outside.

Defendant alleged that upon his arrival from Canton, the detective asked him for tea money. He had no money and alleged the detective forced him to steal, accusing him of being a banishee.

SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR THE DEAD!

"WIZARD" CHARGED WITH FALSE PRETENCES

"What is a genuine wizard?" asked Mr. Wynne-Jones at Central Magistracy yesterday when two Chinese, one stated to be a wizard were brought before him on charges of falsely obtaining 10 cents and 30 cents from two women.

Inspector Elston who prosecuted replied that the man had been born with wizar powers which had been passed down from father to son. In the temple he was a genuine wizard but outside he was not.

Referring to the charges, Inpector Elston said defendants went about the Colony collecting subscriptions. They carried a large book, the front page of which read:—"Condolences for the dead, for the prosperity and peace of the city." They offered to make incantations and claimed they could find work for people.

As the wizard could not write he took round with him the second defendant as a book writer.

After one of the complainants had given evidence to the effect that she gave ten cents as subscription for religious offerings to the dead, Mr. Wynne-Jones remarked he found it difficut to believe that the offering of condolence to the dead was wizardry. His Worship did not propose to start a religious discussion in Court.

Inspector Elston remarked there were no gods in the case and therefore, the question of religion did not arise.

The case was dismissed.

SINGAPORE TO AUSTRALIA

AIR MAIL SURVEY TO BEGIN

Singapore.—After spending nearly five weeks enforced holiday in Singapore, Mr. D. Ross and Mr. D. Gardiner, the representatives of the Australian Aviation Department who are to survey the air route between Singapore and Darwin in connection with the England-Australia Air Mail route, will leave this week in their D.H. Moth machine.

They arrived here at the week end of March 13, by one of the Dutch liners, bringing the plane with them. It was taken to Seletar and housed in the K.N.I.L.M. hanger there. They fully anticipated that their stay in Singapore would be a short one. All they had to wait for was the official notification that the Government of Holland had given formal consent to the carrying out of the survey over the D.E.I.—a formally required under the covenants of the International Convention for Aerial Navigation.

But the wheels of diplomacy grind slowly and the sanction has only just come through. Accordingly, the survey will commence this week. Final preparations for leaving are now being made at Seletar.

Ports of Call.

The survey will consist of the study of conditions in the various ports of call throughout the route over the Dutch Indies and down to Timor. It is known that there are plenty of centres suitable for development as air ports along the route, but no information is at present available as to the facilities which exist for mail planes.

Considerable importance attaches to the survey, for upon the report which Mr. Ross and his companion will make to the Federal Government upon their return depend the terms on which the various aerial navigation organisations in Australia will be invited to tender for the maintenance of the southern portion of the London—Sydney route, from Singapore to Sydney. The government decided towards the end of last year to invite tenders, and since the intention was made known Imperial Airways Ltd., the company who will operate that portion of the route between London and Singapore, have registered in Australia, and will no doubt compete with the object of taking control over the entire route.

An announcement made in the House of Commons some time ago by Sir Philip Sassoon, under-Secretary for Air, indicated that the difficulties which have existed for some time in regard to British passenger and mail planes crossing the interior of India have been successfully negotiated. If that is so, there is some prospect of the Imperial Airways section of the route so far as Singapore being in operation before very long. The Australian section is expected to be in operation either at the end of 1933 or early in 1934.

Singapore Aerodrome.

In connection with their survey, Mr. Ross and Mr. Gardiner have been granted during their stay in Singapore special facilities for inspecting the work that is going on in connection with the civil aerodrome at Kallang, and have been given full information concerning

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the scheme.

Discussing the Singapore aerodrome scheme with a *Free Press* representative, Mr. Ross said he thought it would be unique. There were many cities where equally excellent facilities were to be found, but none where these facilities were so conveniently situated from every point of view. Usually, aerodromes were found many miles out of towns; and one of the most interesting of the Singapore site was its closeness to the heart of the city.

By the time of its completion aerial transport, he thought, would have developed to an extent which would make Singapore equally as important an airport as it had been a seaport.

POPULAR POLICE OFFICER

Presentation to Inspector McWalter

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A pleasant function took place at the Police Recreation Club last evening when members of the Hong Kong Police Force took the opportunity to bid farewell and wish *bon voyage* to Inspector William Robertson McWalter who will be leaving for Home to-morrow on retirement. As a token of remembrance and appreciation, presentation in the form of a gold watch, suitably inscribed, and a pair of jade earrings were made to Inspector and Mrs. McWalter respectively by the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, Inspector General of Police.

In making the presentation, the Hon. Mr. Wolfe said that it gave him great pleasure to do so on behalf of the Police Recreation Club because the recipient was an old friend who was leaving for Home on a well-earned pension. It was with mixed feelings that they all had gathered to say goodbye to Inspector McWalter. They were sorry because they were losing an officer of a very fine type, the type that one looked for among recruits. They were glad, however, to see their friend depart from these shores on a well-earned rest after a very strenuous time in the Colony.

Inspector McWalter, said Mr. Wolfe, came from Dundee from which city they have had many successful recruits. He was a nephew of Inspector Robertson, who, many of them would remember. Inspector McWalter was leaving a brother who was carrying on the traditions of the family in Hong Kong.

Mr. Wolfe said that he was pleased to think that an officer of the standing and reputation as well as of such lengthy service as Inspector McWalter should be able to retire while still hale and hearty. "He certainly does not give me the impression that he will not draw his pension for some considerable time." (Laughter.)

Mr. Wolfe then went on to say that Inspector McWalter first joined the Police force in 1910. He became a lance-sergeant in 1915 and a Crown Sergeant some four years later. In 1924 he was made a sub-Inspector and in 1926 he was promoted to the post of full Inspector.

"My only regret," said Mr. Wolfe, "is that the 4th class award which was recently made to him was not granted some two years ago. During that time there had been many troubles in the Colony, and there were so many awards in the list which could not be exceeded, that it was decided to delay it. But I certainly think that his work deserved it sooner."

Mr. Wolfe concluded by wishing Inspector and Mrs. McWalter *bon voyage*.

Inspector McWalter in a few words suitably replied.

INSPECTOR McWALTER'S CAREER.

Inspector McWalter can well be described as from a "Police" family. His father was formerly of the Dundee City Police Force, and his brother, Sub-Inspector McWalter is attached to the Yaumati Police Station. His uncle is Inspector Robertson who retired several years ago, while his brothers-in-law, Messrs. W. and J. Hedridge also belong to the local force.

Inspector McWalter was born in the year 1889 and first came out to the Colony as a constable in 1910 when he was twenty-one years of age. He was commended in 1914 for arresting a house-breaker, and in 1924 he was commended by the Governor for zealous work in connection with an armed robbery in Portland Street, Yaumati.

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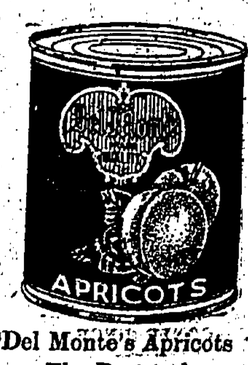

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E. D. C. WOLFE,
Inspector General of Police.
Hongkong, 20th April, 1933. [735

NOTICE.

THERE will be a general meeting of the Hong Kong University Engineering Society on Friday, 21st April, 1933 in Room "K" of the University at 8.30 p.m. when Mr. E. Wongtape, B.Sc., will deliver a lecture on

"THE VEHICULAR FERRY."

All interested are cordially invited.
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THE SHEK O DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the 12th Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Registered Office, York Building, Hongkong, on Friday, the 28th day of April, 1933, at 5.15 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1932, and electing Auditors.

A drawing of Debentures will take place immediately after the above Meeting. Ten Debentures of $500.00 each will be drawn.

By Order of the Board,
F. G. MAUNDER,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 19th April, 1933. [737

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF ALLAN GRIFFITHS COPPIN, LATE OF No. 528, THE PEAK, IN THE COLONY OF HONG KONG, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of the Provisions of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897, made an Order limiting the Time for Creditors and Others to send in their Claims against the above Estate to the 18TH DAY of MAY, 1933.

All Creditors and Others are accordingly hereby required to send their Claims to the Undersigned on or before that date.

Dated this 18th day of April, 1933.

WILKINSON & GRIST,
Solicitors for the Executor,
2, Queen's Road Central,
Hong Kong.
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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE.

FIFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING
29TH APRIL, 1933.

THE Stewards have decided that the Entries for Race No. 9.—Tai-Mo-Shan Handicap, shall be divided into two Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

The Programme will therefore be amended as follows:—

Race No. 9.—6.00 P.M.—Tai-Mo-Shan Handicap.—(First Section)—Winner $450, Second $225, Third $125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Entrance $5. Six Furlongs.

Race No. 10.—6.30 P.M.—Tai-Mo-Shan Handicap.—(Second Section)—Winner $450, Second $225, Third $125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Entrance $5. Six Furlongs.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.
Hong Kong, 20th April, 1933. [736

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Hong Kong, 21st April, 1933. [738

RONALD JOHN STEVENS DECEASED.

ANY persons having any claims against the Estate of the above-named Deceased, formerly of 300, Prince Edward Road, Kowloon, and c/o The Far East Aviation Co., Ltd., are requested to send the same to the undersigned forthwith.

Dated this 19th Day of April, 1933.

JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER
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HONG KONG, APRIL 21, 1933.

CHINA'S CHILDREN

CHINA at the present time is passing through an immense material revolution. Innovations like roads, electricity and transport services are taking root in the country, because the people want them and are no longer scared by modern inventions. Fortunately this mental renaissance, does not stop short on the material side. Already attention is being paid to the human factor. In that respect China is more fortunate than was England in the past. The early stages of the Industrial Revolution were brutal beyond belief, and only the savage ridicule of CHARLES DICKENS stirred a national conscience deaf to the warnings of poets like BLAKE and artists like MORRIS and RUSKIN. Our record in the treatment of children was notoriously bad, and while DICKENS broke much of the sheer physical ill-treatment, it was only RUDYARD KIPLING'S stories that revealed to a self-complacent generation the full meaning of child unhappiness even when it was inflicted under conditions of material comfort. As in other matters, having once taken the problem in hand, our own country is now fairly well to the fore in all that pertains to the welfare of children.

It is particularly gratifying to see the way that modern China is tackling this problem. The Chinese people started with their natural love of children, and much less self-consciousness than the average British father. In these days a young Englishman can, without loss of dignity, take full charge of his own infant, during the mother's temporary absence, even in front of his friends, provided he smokes a pipe, and in other ways demonstrates his unimpaired virility while discharging his task. But to a Victorian pater-familias of the middle and upper class such a thing was unthinkable! China at least has had less of this difficulty to overcome.

Hong Kong, in celebrating Children's Day is following Shanghai and North China. A great deal of child welfare work has, however, gone on for a long time in the Colony at hospitals, schools and clinics, while the Society for the Protection of Children has done admirable work, less in prosecuting the small minority of bad hearted parents, than in bringing help and advice to necessitious cases. However, in holding this exhibition the infant welfare work in Hong Kong is being linked with what promises to become a national movement in China.

Of the technical details little need be said. As a generalisation, it is fairly safe to say that the tendency in China is to neglect the girls and pamper the boys. The reasons, we all know, lie in infant mortality and ancestor worship. When a child's chances of reaching maturity approaches European standards, the problem will settle itself. On the whole a neglected child, left to bring itself up, is better off than a pampered one, whose every action is checked by over-anxious adults. When that is realised the boy children of China will be relieved of much spoiling, and of attentions that are well meant but positively harmful. On the other hand, this is not humanly possible when every small life hangs by a thread. Here perhaps the British Royal Family may be offered as an example to China. Because there are four sons—and a good reserve of royal cousins—there has been no risk to the Royal line and no need for pampering. The Princes have all taken more than normal risks and by hard and strenuous living have countered a certain natural delicacy of constitution.

In England it was a long struggle before children came to their own, but in China, with a desire for improvement and with Western knowledge and example at the country's disposal, there is no reason why the improvement of physical health should not be rapid. Modern China has taken to heart Dr. SUN YAT SEN'S terrible warning, "We are a dying race," and set to work on reforms which he spent his life in teaching.

MODERN METHODS IN PUBLICITY

Competitive Designs at Exhibition

LORD LUKE ON A PUBLIC SAFEGUARD

London.—Artists specialising in commercial design are to have an unusual opportunity to display original work for the consideration of manufacturers at the Advertising and Marketing Exhibition at Olympia in July.

The competitive advantage afforded by modernised designs has been emphasised increasingly in recent years by British industrial leaders, and the principal object of the proposed display is to provide an exchange mart of artists' ideas.

Manufacturers and buyers will be confronted with all that is latest and best in modern design, and they will be enabled to inspect material the scope of which has been unfettered by individual production requirements.

Designs of any kind may be submitted, although a list of 40 categories has been drawn up, for which entries are specially invited. A distinguished judging committee has been appointed under the chairmanship of Lord Leverhulme, including the artists, Mr. Paul Nash and Mr. C. R. W. Nevinson.

"Advertising is a guarantee of standard quality as well as one of the highways out of the present general economic depression," said Lord Luke, Chairman of the National Committee of the International Chamber of Commerce.

"In his inauguration address President Roosevelt summed up the case for publicity when he said 'Nature still affords her bounty, but the generous use of it languishes in the very sight of supply.'

"That is the problem," Lord Luke emphasised, "which advertising helps to solve, the problem of getting goods as efficiently as possible from the manufacturer to the consumer.

Second to None.

"As a distributive force advertising is second to none in importance, for without its aid production in sufficient quantities to become economical is now almost impossible.

"That is why I look on the Advertising and Marketing Exhibition as one of great importance," he said. "It will show manufacturers how to eliminate waste; it will show the necessity for scientific marketing in an age of intense competition, and it will show something of the essential integrity of this modern science."

Lord Luke stated that in his opinion there was no question but that advertising was the finest guarantee of quality which the consumer could be given.

"First-class advertising will not sell third-class products," he said, "and on that rests the case for advertising. No amount of analysis and preparation and no amount of carefully prepared and placed advertising can induce the public to purchase a second time an article which, by itself, could not stand the most rigorous tests. One of the primary tasks of the Exhibition will be to drive home still further to producer and consumer this basic truth of its functions.

"I would say, indeed, that the time has arrived when it is good policy to buy only what is advertised," he said. "It is certainly economical to do so, for the manufacturer who successfully advertises guarantees the unvarying quality of his product; but, of course, different classes of product require different advertising media. For example, it is best to advertise luxury and high-class products in a paper with a "quality" circulation.

The Future.

"Most of the problems of production have been solved, the possible economies of manufacture by modern methods having been fully exploited in most industries," Lord Luke said, "but the possible economies of large scale distribution have been much less fully realised.

"It will be the task of the Exhibition to bring home to manufacturers this basic truth, for in a world suffering very badly from under-consumption there can be no exaggeration of the importance of advertising. Its potentialities are wide and enormous; if they are skilfully developed they can produce a revival of world prosperity.

"It is not sufficient to advertise in this country alone, but also persistently overseas, if we are to increase largely the export of our manufactured goods.

"Advertising, as the Exhibition will show, is no longer a conglomeration of individual hit-or-miss efforts to impress the consumer," Lord Luke concluded. "It is a co-operative movement towards better times, a movement in which each can learn something from his neighbour, so that its united forces will break through the depression and ultimately bring a full return of prosperity."

★ News and Views ★

A Dog's Life.

A German addressing his dog, said:—

"You vas only a dog, but I vish I vas you. Ven you go mit der bed in, shust run around dree times und lay down. Ven I go mit der bed in, I haf to lock der blace und vind der clock und put der cat out und undress myself, und my vife vakes up und scolds me. Den der baby cries und I haf to valk him up und down, den maybe ven I shust go to sleep, it's to get up again. Ven you get up you shust scratch yourself a couple of times, stretch, und you vas up. I haf to quick light der fire und put der kettle on, und scrap mit my vife already und maybe get some breakfast. You play all day und haf blenty of fun. I haf to work all day und haf blenty of trouble. Ven you die, you vas dead; ven I die, I haf to go to hell yet."

Literary Fortunes.

Mr. George Moore's fortune of £75,000 puts him high up, financially speaking, in the list of novelists; the figure is almost identical with that of that strange writer, the late Ronald Firbank, who was, however, a rich man privately and must have made comparatively little out of his literary work.

Dr. A. C. Benson left £112,000, but can hardly be put among the novelists, the richest of whom was Stanley Weyman, who left £100,000. There is a gap before we come to Charles Dickens' £80,000. Charles Garvice (£71,000) beat Anthony Trollope by £1,000. Miss Braddon left £68,000, Rider Haggard £61,000, George Meredith £32,000, Marie Corelli £24,000, W. J. Locke £24,000, and Conrad £20,000.

French writers seem to have a greater knack of making literature profitable. Victor Hugo left £300,000, and Rostand made £250,000 out of one book alone. Among living writers Shaw and Barrie are reputed to be millionaires.

Best Sellers in London.

Mr. J. M. Keynes wins with a double this week (March 28)—"Essays in Biography" and the small, but important "Means to Prosperity." Other books in demand are Sir Philip Gibbs' "Ways of Escape," Dr. W. E. Orchard's "From Faith to Faith," Dr. Halliday Sutherland's "Arches of the Years," Mrs. Sarah Gertrude Millins' "Rhodes," and Professor A. N. Whitehead's remarkable "Adventures of Ideas." In fiction, Richard Aldington's "All Men Are Enemies still goes well. Other favourites are J. G. Cozzens' "A Cure of Flesh," Patrick Miller's "The Magic Circle," Selma Lagerlöf's "Gösta Berling's Saga," and "The Macedonian," by Mary Butts.

London Sayings.

Bolshevism is much less ill bred than gate crashing; and it is nobler to follow a mob in wrath than to run round with "a crowd," which paints the town a non-political red.—Mr. G. K. Chesterton.

The new agricultural Dora will be no sweet, simple village maiden, but more grim and ill-favoured even than the Dora of the towns.—Sir Herbert Samuel.

Any contemporary of ours who wants peace and comfort before anything has chosen a bad time to be born.—Leon Trotsky.

Suppose reflation is ineffective—shall we be any worse off?—Sir Josiah Stamp.

The real strength of Mussolini and Hitler is that they are trying to do what democracy has failed to do—to satisfy man's deep craving for equality.—Lord Eustace Percy.

I would describe war-mongers as the General Staff of hell.—Mr. Arthur Henderson.

Most of us find the economic problem a kind of maze. Whichever path of inquiry we taken it leads us into all the rest; and none seems to bring us to the centre or the exit.—Sir Arthur Salter.

The world does not require new pacts and treaties: history has shown that one pact is only the beginning of another.—Col. John Brown.

It is much more difficult to be a wise mother-in-law than to be a good wife.—Dr. G. H. Geffen.

France's Debt Instalment.

There has been some consternation in Whitehall over the statement attributed to M. Bonnet, the French Finance Minister, that Britain will not ask France to pay the debt instalment due in June.

It is denied that debts were discussed at the conference he had with Mr. Chamberlain and Mr Runciman. But it should be remembered that there was a private talk over lunch as well as a conference.

And M. Bonnet has made an announcement which does little to ease disquietude. He stated that he had not made any declaration either officially or unofficially on his conversations. M. Bonnet "further pointed out," to quote from a news agency, "that, *according to the official communique published in London*," the conversations dealt only with the agenda of the World Economic Conference.

What M. Bonnet did *not* say was: "It is untrue that Britain intends to waive the debt instalment due from France in June."

Local and General

Mr. E. Wongtape, B.Sc. will deliver a lecture on "The Vehicular Ferry" at 8.30 p.m. to-night at the University in Room "K."

A package containing six rounds of revolver ammunition was found in a coolie latrine at West Point yesterday morning.

The Hong Kong Rotary Club will hold a dinner at the Gloucester at 7.30 to-night. The function is entirely informal, and it is hoped that as many members will arrange to be present.

The annual general meeting of the Shek-O development Company will take place on Friday, April 28, at 5.15 p.m., at the office of the Company in York Building.

The Bishop of Victoria will speak on "Religion and Children" at the Helena May Institute this morning at 10.30 a.m. All women are welcome.—Advt.

A Jockey Club advertisement draws attention to the splitting of the Taimoshan Handicap ("D" Class) into two sections, during the Fifth Extra Race Meeting.

For returning from banishment, and for stealing a suitcase containing clothing from 37, Queen's Road East, a Chinese was sentenced to thirteen months' hard labour by Mr. Schofield at Central Magistracy yesterday. It was stated that the defendant entered the premises, while complainant was absent, and went away with a suitcase.

Two cases of small-pox, one of diphtheria and three of meningitis were reported on Wednesday.

The annual dinner of the Queen's College Old Boys' Association will be held in the College Hall at 8 p.m. to-morrow.

An attempt to commit suicide was made by a Chinese on Wednesday when he jumped from the seawall into the sea at Kennedy Town. He was, however, rescued by another Chinese, and taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

The yearly meeting of shareholders of the Hong Kong Engineering and Construction Company, Limited, will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews, on Wednesday, May 3, 1933, at noon.

Local estate to the extent of $479,000 was left by Lo Chung Kue, *alias* Lo Tack Yin, late of 97, Caine Road who died on September 15, 1932. Probate of the will has been granted to Lo Kun Un and Lo Kson Kan, sons of deceased of 97, Caine Road.

Komor & Komor's Bi-annual Exhibition of beautiful Water Colours by Japan's foremost artists will delight art lovers. This year the subjects and paintings are more beautiful than ever. The Exhibition opens on the 27th and everyone interested will have ten days to see these pictures. Purchasers should come early to have the best selections.

SUMMARY OF NEWS

Local.

A Chinese wizard together with another man were brought before Mr. Wynne-Jones at Central Magistracy yesterday on charges of falsely obtaining money from two women by pretending that they were for the dead! the case was dismissed. Page 7.

Sentence of three months' hard labour was imposed on a young soap worker for uttering a forged document. It was stated the defendant was a clever boy and had prepared chemicals for making soap. Page 7.

Messrs. A. F. Sheppard and D. Powell, the proprietors of the Cathay Dancing Academy at Yaumati were each fined $100 for selling liquor on the premises without a licence. Page 7.

A young ex-banishee was sentenced to six months' hard labour for stealing $100 from a money changer. Page 7.

The acting Chief Justice yesterday found that there was no case to go to the Jury in the prosecution for breach of deportation against a Hongkong born Chinese. Page 7.

Two Chinese were charged at Central Magistracy for assaulting an Aberdeen fisherman after he had refused to join an unlawful society. Page 7.

The draw for the Happy Valley Summer foursomes appears on Page 10.

A very successful Ladies Night was held at the European Y.M.C.A. last night. Page 11.

General.

President Roosevelt has issued a proclamation announcing the restoration of the Gold embargo. Page 9.

The Ban on Russian Goods has met with general approval, and journals have aired their views. Full details will be found on Page 9.

VERY DRUNK!

Curious Case in Singapore.

Singapore April 16.—The story of a Saturday afternoon's outing by three Europeans which resulted in one of them sustaining a broken head was continued yesterday when the adjourned hearing was alleged to have struck him over the head with a bottle of beer.

At the conclusion of the case, Mr. J. F. F. Gregg, the Singapore Third Police Magistrate, found the Indian guilty and imposed a fine of $10 and sanctioned the prosecution of the "boy's" European employer for giving false evidence or for making a false report to the police.

GREAT BLOW TO DRUG TRAFFIC

SECRET FACTORIES CLOSED BY TURKISH POLICE

Istambul, Apr. 11.—The Turkish police succeeded in dealing the greatest blow they have ever dealt to the international narcotic drug trade when they discovered and closed down to-day four secret factories. More than one hundred persons were arrested, including the alleged agent of a British firm, a hotel proprietor and an actress of Greek nationality, who is said to be widely known in Europe.

The police further discovered an extensive organisation for the transport of narcotic drugs by sea and air and ascertained that an important consignment of drugs is now *en route* for the Turkish-Bulgarian frontier. Necessary measures to hold up the consignment are being taken.

By this discovery, the authorities believe that a severe blow has been struck at the centre of the international drug traffic, details of the world-wide ramifications of which were given in a recent report by the head of the Cairo police, Russell Pasha, to the League of Nations.—Trans-Ocean Kuo Min.

INCOME TAX LEVIED IN SIAM

DETAILS OF NEW REVENUE SCHEME

Bangkok.—The system of Income and Super tax introduced as from April 1, 1933, calls upon persons to assess themselves or prove right of exemption, to send in returns and calculations and to understand and watch their own interests under a system of notices, deductions, claims, abatements and penalties.

Every inhabitant residing in the Kingdom has to pay taxes upon the total income received in the previous year from the following sources, except that income derived from sources outside the Kingdom, shall pay taxes only when such income is brought into the country.

AMERICA OFF GOLD STANDARD

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S "DARING STROKE"

RESTORATION OF GOLD EMBARGO

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

Washington, April 20.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT HAS ISSUED A PROCLAMATION ANNOUNCING THE RESTORATION OF THE GOLD EMBARGO. IMMEDIATELY AFTER THIS, MR. WILLIAM H. WOODWIN, SECRETARY OF THE UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT, ADMITTED THAT THE DECISION COULD ONLY BE INTERPRETED TO MEAN THAT THE UNITED STATES HAD GONE OFF THE GOLD STANDARD.

MR. WOODWIN ADDED THAT REGULATIONS WOULD BE ISSUED TO PERMIT THE EXPORT OF THE GOLD WHICH IS ALREADY EAR-MARKED.

Although the Senate yesterday defeated a Bill proposing remonetization of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1 to gold, advocates of the various silver schemes are still optimistic. Legislation will be introduced into Congress, probably to-day, giving President Roosevelt dictatorial powers regarding inflation.

The British Premier, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, arrives in the United States to-day and will immediately proceed to the White House to inaugurate with President Roosevelt the series of informal conferences arranged between the President and the representatives of the leading Powers.

New York, Later.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S DARING STROKE ON THE EVE OF THE WORLD ECONOMIC CONFERENCE FOLLOWS SUBSTANTIALLY THE COURSE OF BRITAIN'S ABANDONMENT OF THE GOLD STANDARD, ACCORDING TO THE "HERALD TRIBUNE" WHICH PROTRAYS MR. WOODWIN AS HOPEFUL BUT STILL SCEPTICAL.

THE "NEW YORK TIMES" DECLARES THAT OFFICIALS ARE PREDICTING THAT BRITAIN WILL TAKE STEPS TO COUNTER-ACT ANY ADVANTAGE WHICH AMERICA MIGHT RECEIVE FROM WORLD MARKETS.

CONSERVATIVE QUARTERS EXPRESS GRAVE DOUBTS REGARDING THE WISDOM OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S POLICY, ASSERTING THAT THE STIMULUS GIVEN TO BUSINESS IS LIKELY TO BE OFF-SET BY THE POTENTIAL DAMAGE TO INTERNATIONAL TRADE THROUGH THE GREATER INSTABILITY OF CURRENCIES.

SILVER FOR WAR DEBT PAYMENTS

The recent United States embargo on gold which came into operation on March 6, was lifted by a Presidential order on April 5. The order, however, demanded the licensing of the issue of gold in industrial and trade transactions, and forbid individuals, under heavy penalties, to retain gold in excess of G$100 after May 1.

The embargo gives the National Government absolute control of the nation's gold supply, and places an embargo on gold exports and prohibits the ear-marking of gold for foreign nations.

Amendment to Farm Bill.

It was announced here to-day that the payment of the war debt instalments in silver, under certain conditions, will be possible if the amendment to the United States Farm Bill, drafted by Senator Thomas and the Administration advisers for approval by President Roosevelt, is accepted.

The amendment gives President Roosevelt broad powers to inflate currency. Besides permitting him to issue currency at his own discretion, the measure could provide for the acceptance of silver for war debt payments.

The amendment further provides for the reduction of the gold content dollar by international agreement or otherwise.

Amendment Sanctioned.

It is understood that President Roosevelt has sanctioned the Amendment to the Farm Bill. In consequence, the prospects of the Amendment being passed are considered very bright.

Washington, Later.

Legislation is to be introduced into the United States Congress, probably to-day giving President Roosevelt virtual currency inflation dictatorship.

ROYAL NAVY

RED SEA SLOOPS

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, March 29.—A change is due to become operative to-day in the command of the Penzance, one of the two sloops in the Red Sea Division, in which Commander A. R. Farquhar, D.S.C., who has had nearly two years' service in the Division, will be succeeded by Commander R. H. Bevan, late executive officer of the cruiser Cumberland in China. Since the War the Red Sea Division, formerly included in the East Indies Station, has formed part of the Mediterranean Fleet. It is at present commanded by Captain C. S. Sandford, O.B.E., in the Hastings.

Commander Bevan entered Osborne as a cadet in January, 1905, and in passing out of the training cruiser Cumberland as midshipman in July, 1909, he took first prize of his term for seamanship, and tied for second place in history and English. He served as a lieutenant during the War in the cruiser Duke of Edinburgh and the battleship Hercules, and in the latter was present at Jutland. He specialized in gunnery in 1918, and in staff duties in 1924. At the time of his promotion to commander, in June, 1927, he was an Assistant to the Director of Naval Ordnance.

WORLD JEWRY UP IN ARMS

£200,000 RELIEF FUND

(Special Air-Mail Service)

March 28.

The World Alliance for Combating Anti-Semitism, which on Friday declared a general boycott of German goods, announced yesterday "to all Jewry" that this boycott "also means that no Jews are to visit cinemas exhibiting German films, and no German restaurants are to be patronised."

In Paris a provisional Committee has been formed to receive Jews forced to leave Germany.

The Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, which represents twenty-six Protestant denominations, with a membership of many millions, has formed a provisional Committee, which in its own words, will "protest against German Fascist atrocities."

There is to be a big protest meeting at Madison Square Garden, New York, to-morrow. Jewish places of business will be closed, and a resolution will be introduced to raise a relief fund of $1,000,000 (£200,000) to aid Jewish victims in Germany.

WHAT HAS HAPPENED IN AMERICA

LOCAL EXPERT'S ANALYSIS

Our representative was given the following comment on America's action by a local expert on exchange:—

When they closed down for the Easter holidays, people all over the United States were very nervous about leaving their foreign exchange commitments uncovered, especially those who had outstanding sales as they feared that some political announcement might be made during the holidays which might lead to a depreciation in United States Currency. There was, therefore, a last minute rush by these people to buy foreign exchange which had the effect of causing the rates on foreign countries to move even beyond the "gold export point."

That was the first open sign of uneasiness throughout the country with regard to the exchange rates, since the scare subsided after the enforced banking holiday a few weeks ago.

After the Easter holidays, the uneasness increased when it became apparent that the amount of gold being exported under "licence" was inadequate for the demand and when President Roosevelt announced yesterday that the United States would re-impose the embargo on the export of gold, the effect of this announcement was to cause wild speculation resulting in marked depreciation of the American currency, similar to wild speculation in commodities, and shares and everything else.

It is possible that America will remain off gold this time and have a managed currency. The old methods of banking and finance having broken down they may continue as at present, until the World Economic Conference takes place in the near future. Prices in America have risen and that is exactly what has been wanted all the time. To force prices back now would need very great courage in view of the disappointment that would be caused so that it seems unlikely that the financial authorities in America would deliberately force back the Gold standard on a reluctant people, at this juncture.

Purists of finance will disagree with this departure from the gold standard and the forcing up of prices in this manner. The practical effect, however, is so much what everyone wants that it will be difficult to put the clock back.

There have been an appreciable fall in U.S. Currency in terms of both local currency and European currencies. How far this will go no one can say. The position is obscure and uncertain.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

London, Apr. 16.

FOLLOWING ARE THE SILVER QUOTATIONS ON THE LONDON MARKET TO-DAY:

	Apr. 19	Apr. 20
SPOT	19.3/16	18⅞
FORWARD	19¼	18.7/16

KAISER AGGRIEVED

AT BETROTHAL OF GRANDSON

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

AMSTERDAM, Apr. 19.

IT is reported that the ex-Kaiser is very aggrieved at the betrothal of Prince Wilhelm, the eldest son of the Crown Prince, and his favourite grandson, to Miss Dorothy von Salvaiti.

Miss von Salvaiti i a descendant of an old Italian aristocratic family, which migrated to Prussia in the time of Frederick the Great.

Prince Wilhelm, by his action, has broken the rule of the house of the Hohenzollerns which forbids its members to marry "below rank."

The Future Emperor?

Apparently the ex-Kaiser was not asked to consent to this mesalliance which bars Prince Wilhelm's accession to the throne.

It is believed that it was the secret hope of the former German Monarch that Prince Wilhelm should one day become Emperor of Germany.

RUSSIAN GOODS BOYCOTT

NEW ZEALAND'S SUPPORT

SERIOUS RESULTS FEARED IN MOSCOW.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Apr. 20.

The embargo on Russian imports is welcomed by all the London morning papers with the exception of the *News Chronicle* and the *Daily Herald*.

The former considers it a dangerous weapon, likely to damage Britain's trade as much as Russia's, while the latter says the embargo will make it harder for the Soviet to do under foreign threat what they may do of their own free will.

The *Financial News* considers it "a hasty step."

Trial Ridiculed.

The Times ridicules the trial as a farce and mockery of justice, and says there is little doubt that the deportees owe their liberty to Parliament's passing of the Import Prohibition Act, and yesterday's proclamation is well calculated to open the Soviet's eyes to the damage they are doing to their trade with Britain.

Support for Britain.

WELLINGTON, Apr. 20.

Mr. G. W. Forbes, the Prime Minister, declared to-day that the New Zealand Government is immediately considering the prohibition of Russian imports.

Fears in Moscow.

Moscow, Apr. 20.

A serious result of the British embargo is anticipated here, as it is claimed that the Soviet can meet the obligations of other countries only by means of the revenue obtained from her favourable obtained trade balance with Britain.

DELEGATES RECALLED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

London, April 20.

It is learnt that the three principal members of the Soviet Trade Delegation have been recalled to Moscow "for consultation."

APPEAL LODGED

MOSCOW SENTENCES TO BE COMMUTED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Moscow, Apr. 19.

It is learnt that Mr. Braude has presented a petition to the Central Executive Committee of the Soviet Government asking for a commutation of the sentences passed upon Messrs. Thornton and MacDonald.

It is expected that the petition will be granted and that the sentences will be commuted to life banishment.

COMING FROM MOSCOW

(Special Air-Mail Service)

LONDON, Apr. 4.

Sir Esmond Ovey, who has been recalled to London to report in person on the recent events in Moscow has been working there under very considerable strain. Indeed, it will occasion little surprise if the opportunity is taken to send out a relief so that he may be able to take a much-needed rest on his arrival home.

He was appointed to Moscow in 1929, after the eleventh-hour cancellation in the same year of his appointment as Ambassador to Brazil.

He went to Moscow when there had been no British diplomatic representative there for two years, following the withdrawal of Sir Ralph Hodgson, the Chargé d'Affaires, when relations were severed in 1927.

Sir Esmond, who has a definite strain of unconventionality in his character, speaks a number of little-known languages, and has visited a number of out-of-the-way countries. His Russian, which he speaks very fluently now, he is said to have learnt from a text book while he was in the Russian department of the Foreign Office.

LONDON-SINGAPORE AIR MAIL SERVICE

MR. C. A. BARNARD ON SURVEY OF ROUTE

Singapore.—Mr. C. A. Barnard, of Imperial Airways, Ltd., who recently surveyed the route from Calcutta to Singapore in connection with the proposed London—Singapore—Australia air-mail service, has now issued his notes on the possibilities of the scheme.

He describes the scope there is for further acceleration of communication and the advantages of any air service in these important territories, not only in regard to mails, but also in the transport of passengers: and states that "it can be anticipated very confidently that the London—India—Australia Empire route, once it is in full operation, will be accorded the fullest welcome and support by those in the many countries it will serve."

GENERAL MA CHAN SHAN RELEASED

ON WAY TO CHINA WITH THREE COLLEAGUES

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Moscow, April 20.

THE four Chinese generals, including Ma Chan Shan, ex-Governor of the Heilungkiang Province, who were interned at Tomsk after they had escaped into Soviet territory, were set free yesterday. They passed through here on their way to China *via* Marseilles.

It will be remembered that Generals Ma Chan Shan and Su Ping Men entered Soviet territory from the west of Manchuria towards the end of last year. The other two members of the party, Generals Li Tu and Wang Teh Lin crossed over the Eastern Frontier in January this year.

NEW MINISTER OF EDUCATION

MR. OONG WEN HAO'S RESIGNATION ACCEPTED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NANKING, Apr. 20.

IT is understood that the Central Political Council has approved of the resignation of the Minister of Education, Mr. Oong Wen Hao, and has appointed Mr. Wang Shih Chieh, the President of the Wuhan University, to be his successor.

TRAIN DERAILED

BY BANDTS IN MANCHURIA

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

HARBIN, April 20.

ANOTHER sanguinary encounter is threatened in East Manchuria where a large force of anti-Manchukuo troops are massing with the object of attacking Tungning, which is a town near the Soviet border about twenty-five miles to the south of Suifenho. It is the eastern terminus of the Chinese Eastern Railway.

The Japanese Commander of the Manchukuo frontier guards at Suifenho has issued a proclamation declaring that the ringleaders and any participants in any strike by employees of the Chinese Eastern Railway intended to dislocate the C.E.R. service will be severely punished.

In the meantime, a large number of bandits are active along the eastern section of the C.E.R. One body raided the huge timberyards at Tigrovayapad, fifteen miles to the north of Shihtaohotze. This they set on fire and destroyed.

They also derailed and subjected to a heavy fusillade of bullets a train running on the C.E.R. Several persons on the train were killed and many wounded.

PARCEL POST SUSPENDED

TELEGRAPH SERVICE ALSO CRIPPLED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NANKING, April 19.

THE Post Office to-day announced the suspension of the parcel post service to districts east of the Luan River, although ordinary letters will be handled as usual.

The Telegraph Administration also announced that no delivery of telegrams will be possible to places east of Luanchow.

INTERVIEW WITH CHIANG

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

NANKING, April 19.

MR. Shiao Hsien Ken, General Sung Chieh Yuan's personal delegate will be leaving for Nanchang by air to see General Chiang Kai Shek.

TO ENCOURAGE THE TROOPS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NANKING, April 19.

MR. Chen Kung Pao is leaving for Peiping this evening to visit the Northern front and encourage the Chinese troops there on behalf of Mr. Wang Ching Wei. Mr. Chen will also take the opportunity to inspect industrial conditions in North China.

MINISTER RECALLED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

NANKING, April 19.

THE Chinese Minister to Portugal, Mr. Ouang Ting Ichang who was recalled by the Waichiaopu arrived here this morning.

JAPAN ACCUSED

OF DANGEROUS INTEREST IN DUTCH EAST INDIES

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THE HAGUE, Apr. 20.

AN allegation that Japan is taking a dangerous interest in the Dutch East Indies was made by the Socialist member, M. Mendels, in the Upper Chamber during a discussion on the East Indies Budget yesterday.

The speaker called attention to Japan's need of oil for warships and also her desire to create settlements in New Guinea.

The Colonial Minister, M. De Graaff replied that the Government was vigilant but that the same laws applied to Japan as to other countries.

On the question of rubber restriction, the Minister said that the problem was an international one, and only when a definite resolution was taken by those concerned, could the Government consider the practicability of the schemes submitted to it.

AN IMPORTANT LINK

IN JAPANESE RAILWAY

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

TOKYO, Apr. 20.

ONE of the most important links in the Japanese system of communications has been forged with the completion to-day of the line connecting the Kirin-Tunghua Railway with Kanei on the Korean border.

Both from a military and commercial viewpoint, the new line is of immense importance as it will tap a potential market for Japanese goods and in the event of another Russo-Japanese War would enable Japan to rush troops into North Manchuria by a shorter and safer route than any at present existing.

IN HONG KONG TO-DAY

MIST AND RAIN

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 5.25. P.M., STATED:—

A WEAK ANTICYCLONE COVERS N. CHINA; PRESSURE IS ALSO MODERATELY HIGH OVER THE SEA OF JAPAN.

LOCAL FORECAST: — N.E. WINDS, MODERATE; OVERCAST, WITH MIST AND RAIN AT FIRST, PROBABLY IMPROVING LATER.

SHIPMENT OF ART TREASURES

INCLUDES FAMOUS PAINTING

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEIPING, April 20.

ANOTHER shipment of art treasures, consisting of 4,000 cases will be leaving for Shanghai by train early to-morrow morning.

This shipment includes the famous portrait of the Empres Dowager Tsuhsi painted by the American artist Miss Katherine Carl and also a number of twenty five centuries-old stone drums which had hitherto adorned the Confucius Temple. The portrait belongs to the art collection of the Summer Palace.

NEW CITY HALL FOR SHANGHAI

RESOLUTION TO BE PRESENTED AT RATEPAYERS MEETING

A resolution for the purchase of a site for the erection of a City Hall in Shanghai will be presented to ratepayers at the annual meeting to be held at the Grand Theatre on April 19 at 4 p.m.

The resolution is proposed by Mr. A. J. Hughes and is seconded by Mr. W. P. Lambe. It reads:

"Resolved that the Council be requested to purchase at the first favourable opportunity an area of land sufficient to provide for the erection of a City Hall for public meetings and for housing the Public Library and to make present provision for future civic and community needs and that the location the price and the immediate uses to be made of the land be left to the discretion of the Council."

SUNSHINE ESCORT FOR THE KING

Brilliant Picture During Drive to Levee

LONDON'S CHEERING CROWDS

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, April 4.—The King, wearing the brilliant scarlet uniform of a Field-Marshal, held a levee at St James's Palace, London, yesterday.

It was the second levee of the season but the first to be held by the King. At the previous levee the Prince of Wales deputised for his father, who was suffering from a slight chill.

As the King drove in State from Buckingham Palace, attended by an escort of Life-Guards, the spring sunshine turned the burnished helmets and breastplates of the troopers to silver, shone on the gold crown surmounting the King's coach, and picked out the gold and scarlet of the livery of the royal footmen and coachmen.

Looking Well.

The King sat in his coach bareheaded and without a greatcoat. He looked remarkably well as he leaned forward and smiled to the crowds, which cheered him all the way from the gates of Buckingham Palace to the garden gate of St. James's. Opposite the King in the royal coach sat the Earl of Granard, Master of Horse.

At St. James's a guard of honour of the Scots Guards was drawn up with hands on the lawn. They played the National Anthem and gave the royal salute as the King stepped from his coach to be received by the Officers of the Household, who conducted him to the Throne Room.

As the King took his place on the throne the National Anthem was again played, and then the stream of presentations—several hundreds of them—began. The Duke of Gloucester in Hussar's uniform Prince George in naval uniform, many Ambassadors and Ministers, several members of the Cabinet, and many other distinguished people, attended the levee.

After the ceremony the King drove back to Buckingham Palace in State.

BRASS PLATE NOT EVIDENCE

ADMIRAL AND MAN WHOSE NAME WAS ON WIFE'S HOUSE

Tokyo.—Chief Judge Amano, of the Osaka Court of Appeal, has ruled that because a married women puts another man's name-plate on her house, it does not necessarily mean she is living with him.

Hence he dismissed a suit for divorce brought by Vice-Admiral Seiichi Suzuki (assumed name) who alleged that his wife ruined him by running up debts totalling Y100,000, and has since been living with another man. The wife, in her defence, said she had business relations with the man in question, and put his name-plate on the door of her residence in order to deceive creditors.

The judge ruled that this was quite legitimate, though a bit hard on the creditors.

TOBACCO FROM CANADA

FINDS BRITISH MARKET

Montreal, Canada.—Consignments of Canadian tobacco to the United Kingdom increased last year by more than seventy per cent. over 1931 and reached a total of 10,844,154 pounds, according to a report from Mr. Harrison Watson, Canadian Trade Commissioner in London.

In 1931, Mr. Watson points out, Canada, Nyasaland and Southern Rhodesia together supplied 23,000,000 pounds of tobacco to the United Kingdom, and the United States sent 187,000,000 pounds. Last year the three Empire countries shipped 36,000,000 pounds and the United States only 125,000,000.

As an interesting evidence of this new trend of trade the Commissioner commented on the fact that one widely-advertised British cigarette is made exclusively of

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GOLF

HAPPY VALLEY FOURSOMES DRAW

The draw for the Happy Valley Summer foursomes is as follows:—

N. Drummond (14) and N. M. Currie (16) *v.* W. J. Buller (8) and A. Brooksbank (18).

W. J. Shenton (15) and A. O. Brawn (14) v. R. S. W. Paterson (17) and W. Woodward (17).

W. H. Edmonds (12) and J. M. Wilson (17) *v.* E. P. Whitt (15) and H. T. Brooks (17).

G. W. Fooks (18) and A. W. Muir (17) *v.* A. McIndoe (18) and J. Hutchison (18).

J. L. Adams (17) and P. S. Grant (17) *v.* R. C. Law (8) and W. A. Stewart (10).

S. A. Sleap (15 and S. T. Butlin (10) *v.* E. M. Hanlon (17) and C. B. Robertson (11).

W. G. Robertson (17) and J. B. Mackie (17) *v.* A. Ursell (17) and A. E. Clarke (14).

A. E. Charman (11) and J. Shepherd (18) *v.* S. E. Edgar (18) and J. J. King (15).

C. Thwaites (16) and A. V. Greaves (17) *v.* W. J. Waddington (17) and E. Taylor (17).

J. P. A. Davis (17) and E. Thompson (18) *v.* D. M. Goodall (17) and W. M. Pittendrigh (17).

W. A. Weight (15) and J. S. Dykes (13) *v.* J. McKnight (9) and J. D. Kinnaird (11).

C. E. Moore (18) and A. W. Hodges (17) *v.* S. Shepheard (18) and A. V. Baker (18).

G. T. May (17) and M. N. Cochrane (15) *v.* S. S. Cook (17) and A. McKellar (8).

A. MacFarlane (17) and E. D. Matthews (8) *v.* J. E. Dovey (15) and J. A. R. Selby (8).

F. Lobel (15) and T. R. Chassels (7) *v.* C. Whitehead (18) and R. A. Edwards (18).

C. Mycock (15) and A. D. Humphreys (10) *v.* H. H. Mundy (0) and C. W. F. Booker (6).

First player manages team, and first pair in each bracket arrange date, unless otherwise agreed, matches will be played on last date given for each round.

Handicaps have been adjusted and will be used throughout.

1st. Round on or before 7th. May, 2nd Round on or before 21st. May, 3rd. Round on or before 4th June, Semi-final on or before 18th. June, final on or before 25th June. Extensions may be given by the Committee in case of continued bad weather. Prizes to winning pair—spoons to runner up.

All matches to be played to a finish unless otherwise arranged before starting. Strokes after 18th hole to be taken as in first round.

SINGAPORE GOLF CLUB

COMMITTEE'S REPORT ON YEAR'S WORK

Singapore.—The report of the committee of the Singapore Golf Club for the year ended December 31st, 1932, has now been issued. It states:

The income and expenditure for the year shows a deficit of $1,524.27 as against a deficit of $603.90 in the previous year.

The number of members on the register on December 31st, 1932, was 445 active, 16 country and 501 absent members. A year earlier the figures were 454, 19 and 533 respectively.

The system of co-ordinated handicaps, approved by the British Golf Unions' Advisory Committee, was established during the year between all Singapore golf clubs and is now working smoothly. The thanks of the club are due to Mr. W. P. Douglas for undertaking the duties of district registrar.

A proposal to form a ladies' committee to arrange and control competitions and inter-club matches was approved by general meeting. All ladies now playing over the links are registered as associates and pay a subscription of $1 per month. Affiliations have been secured with the Ladies Golf Union and the Lady Golfers' Club, both of which should prove of value to lady golfers during their stay in England.

Links.

Main course fairways were dressed with a mixture of black earth and fertiliser and benefited by the treatment. A number of greens were subsoil-drained, relaid and slightly remodelled and 2 practice tees and 1 practice bunker were constructed and proved very popular. Water system, machinery, roads and coolie lines were maintained in good repair. The professional Mr. A. C. Robertson, has maintained the links in excellent condition throughout the year and both the fairways and greens on both courses demonstrate his keen attention to his duties.

U.S. BASEBALL

RAIN INTERFERES WITH PROGRAMME

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

NEW YORK, Apr. 19.

RAIN again interfered with the National and American league early two matches being played. In the former the Philadelphia-New York encounter was abandoned, and in the latter, Boston at Washington, Detroit at Cleveland and Philadelphia at New York, were all postponed.

In the only American League game played, Lyoans pitched magnificently and shut out St. Louis.

National League.	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	8	1
Brooklyn	2	5	1
American League.	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	3	7	1
St. Louis	0	3	2

M.C.C. CRICKETERS' FAREWELL

JARDINE ON THE AUSTRALIANS' NEXT VISIT

Sydney.—A large crowd of cricketers and friends gave an enthusiastic send-off to the M.C.C. cricketers when they left here in the s.s. Maunganui for New Zealand. The President of the New South Wales Cricket Association, Mr. Green, presented Messrs. Jardine, Warner and Palairet with cigarette boxes made of Australian wood, and adorned with the appropriate Australian emblems.

The English captain, D. R. Jardine, replying to Mr. Green's remark that he did not think some of the counties would favourably view the visit of the next Australian team, said: "I cannot speak on behalf of the counties, but I dare state that not only the counties but the whole of England will always welcome an Australian team, even if they come twice a year."

Mr. Warner, in a broadcast farewell message to Australia from the steamer, Maunganui, said: "We take our success in no vainglorious or boasting spirit, fully recognising the skill and prowess of your splendid cricketers. It is essential that England and Australia should work together for all that is best and finest in the immortal game of cricket."—Reuter's Special.

NEW CONSTITUTION FOR PORTUGAL

PLEBESCITE REVEALS OVERWHELMING MAJORITY

Lisbon, Apr. 10.—The new Portugese Constitution, which is designed to re-establish a constitutional government and give General Carmona a further three years in power as President, has been adopted by an overwhelming majority in a plebiscite, the result of which was announced to-day.

Only 6,000 out of 1,330,000 electors opposed it. Abstainers were counted as supporters of the Government's proposals.

It was the first election in Portugal in which women were allowed to vote.

BUDGET DEFICIT IN FRANCE

INDEBTEDNESS REDUCED BY £117,000,000

Paris, Apr. 11.—A deficit of 1,285,000,000 francs in the 1933 Budget confronts the Chamber of Deputies when it debates the Finance Bill to-day. The Sinking Fund, however, accounts for 3,500,000,000 francs.

The Government originally aimed at covering 1,640,000,000 francs of the deficit by savings and new taxation, but the Finance Commission halved this figure.

The present Government has reduced France's indebtedness by a sum equivalent to £117,000,000.

Dr. H. I. Tsang who is a returned dental surgeon from America, graduated from the University of California with the degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery. While there as an undergraduate he was elected to the Epsolon Alpha Dental Honour Society owing to his scholastic records. After passing the Californin Dental State Board examination he entered Harvard University for post-graduate study in oral surgery, and at the same time served in the dental clinic of the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, Massachusetts. Upon passing the Massachusetts Dental State Board examination he had a part time practice in Boston and did research work in the Harriet Newell Lowell Society for Dental Research (Harvard). His work on "Trophic Disturbances to Dentine Through Resection of Madibular Division of Trigeminal Nerve" earned him to an honourary fellowship in that society. Dr. Tsang's new office is at present located at the Oi Kwan Building, 65, Des Voeux Road C.

GERMAN MONARCHISTS

Rumour of Regency Plan

Berlin, April 13.—Monarchical Germans, with hopes rising high as Adolf Hitler's nazis replace the republic's flag with the banners of the Hohenzollerns, were reported to-day to be well agreed on a plan to bridge the expected transition to a monarchy by naming Karl Edward, Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha as regent.

Friendly to the nazis and an ardent nationalist, this 49 year-old British-born nobleman is considered by many ideal for the post.

Once the constitutional changes are made, they would have the duke step aside in favour of Prince Wilhelm Frederick of Prussia, eldest son of ex-Crown Prince Frederick Wilhelm and namesake of his grandfather, the former kaiser.

This procedure, they argue, would prevent the race for the throne from becoming a free-for-all, would take cognizance of the aged ex-emperor's recent renunciation of aspirations for himself and would salve the feelings of the former crown prince.

There is wide acceptance hereabouts of reports from Doorn, Holland, which had Wilhelm II agreeing not to stand in the way of any of his descendants who might be chosen for the Berlin throne. There is equally wide belief that the ex-crown prince would not be as welcome as a ruler as would some other member of the family, especially his own quiet 26-year-old heir.

The young prince had been little in the limelight. He manages one of the family estates at Seddin and last year took a vacation by visiting the United States, where his brother, Louis Ferdinand, was working for Henry Ford.

The Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha fits into this frame because he took an active part in the negotiations between President von Hindenburg and Hitler, seeking to reconcile their views. How well the duke and his co-worker, Vice Chancellor Franz von Papen, succeeded is evidenced by Hitler's ascendency.

The duke is a die-hard monarchist, a firm believer in the divine right of kings, deeply religious and an uncompromising foe of communism. Recently he wrote in the Deutsche Zeitung:

"People who have lost their belief in God are themselves lost. There is no greater criminality than taking their God from a people, and those who suffer the anti-religious movement will all go to the devil.

"The fight against the rape of belief in every form is a nationalist fight. It is the highest and most binding duty of the nation."

Duke Karl Edward, a grandson of Queen Victoria of Great Britain, was born at Claremont, England, July 19, 1884, educated in English schools and was an officer of the Seaforth highlanders before coming to Potsdam in 1909 to start a German military career.

He became duke upon the death of a brother, married a niece of the former kaiserin, Augusta Victoria, and has since looked after his possessions in the 763 square miles of territory comprising his duchies. Socialists say he spent $300,000 on hunting parties in 13 years.

Through marriage of blood the duke is related to the reigning houses of England, Belgium, Rumania and Sweden and to the Spanish royal family. The latest of these alliances took place last October when his daughter, Princess Sybille, married Prince Gustav, eldest son of the crown prince of Sweden.

Mr. S. Dale of Messrs. Leigh and Orange has reported to the Police the loss of a gold watch between Lyeemun Villas and the P. & O. Bank on Wednesday.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

HONG KONG ENGINEERING & CONSTRUCTION CO., LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong Engineering and Construction Company, Limited., will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Lowe, Bingham & Matthews, Mercantile Bank Building, Queen's Road (Central), Hong Kong, on Wednesday, the 3rd May, 1933, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors and a Statement of Accounts for the Year ended on the 31st December, 1932, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be Closed from the 18th April to the 3rd May, 1933, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
B. ALVES,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 19th, April, 1933. [727

THE HONG KONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the offices of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Company Limited, Pedder Street, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on Tuesday, the 25th day of April, at 12 NOON for the purpose of receiving a report of the proceedings of an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company held on the 10th day of April last and of confirming if thought fit, as Special Resolutions the following Resolutions which were passed as Extraordinary Resolutions at the above mentioned meeting namely:—

"(1) That the existing 8,000 shares "in the capital of the Company of "the nominal value of $250 each, "upon which the sum of $100 has "been paid up, be divided into "40,000 shares of the nominal value "of $50 each, upon which the sum "of $30 shall be credited as paid "up.

"(2) That as on and from the 1st "day of July, 1933, the regulations "contained in the printed document "submitted to the meeting and for "the purpose of identification "subscribed by the Chairman there-"of be approved and adopt d as the "Articles of Association of the "Company, in substitution for, and "to the exclusion of, all the existing "Articles thereof."

AND NOTICE is also hereby given that in the event of the above mentioned Resolutions being confirmed as Special Resolutions the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 25th April, 1933, to the 1st May, 1933, both days inclusive.

Dated the 20th day of April, 1933.

JARDINE MATHESON & CO., LTD.,
General Managers.

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NOTICE.

MILLINGTON, LIMITED

AS from 31st March, 1933, Mr. L. W. Bush is no longer in any way connected with the above firm and the entire management of the Company's affairs in South China is vested in the undersigned.

Millington Limited
by their Attorney,
W. C. CLARK.

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REMOVAL OF OFFICE.

AS from the 18th inst., we have removed our Office from St. George's Building to 8A, Des Voeux Road Central; *viz.* The National & Commercial Savings Bank Building, at the corner of Ice House Street and Des Voeux Road, *entrance* in Ice House Street.

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GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 44th ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the Company, Exchange Building, Des Voeux Road Central, Victoria, Hong Kong, on Tuesday, the 25th day of April, 1933, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving a statement of accounts and the report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1932.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the company will be CLOSED from Thursday, the 13th April, 1933, to Tuesday, the 25th April, 1933, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
ALLAN KEITH,
Secretary.

Hong Kong 4th April 1933. [668

THE HONG KONG & YAUMATI FERRY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 9th ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Chinese Restaurant at No. 26, Des Voeux Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on Wednesday, the 26th day of April 1933 at 10.00 a.m. for the purpose of receiving a statement of accounts and the report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1932.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from Thursday, the 13th April, 1933 to Wednesday, the 26th April, 1933 both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Director.,
LAU TAK PO,
Managing Director.

Hongkong 12th April 1933. [708

MACAO RACES

THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

Third Extra Race Meeting,

SUNDAY, 23rd APRIL, 1933.

First Saddling Bell at 1.00 p.m.
First Race at 1.30 p.m.

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To Members' Enclosure $2.
To Public Enclosure 40 Cents.

Members MUST show their badges to gain admittance. LADIES are cordially invited to attend the Races without charge.

NO Ladies tickets will be issued.

Tiffins, Teas and Refreshments will be obtainable at the Race Course at reasonable prices.

See Steamboat notice for special sailings to Macao.

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NOTICE.

WE have to-day removed our Offices to the National Bank Building, 8A, Des Voeux Road, Central (Entrance Ice House Street), First Floor.

TSO & HODGSON.

Hong Kong, 18th April, 1933. [719

G. R.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on MONDAY, the 24TH DAY of APRIL, 1933, at 3 P.M., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, of One Lot of CROWN LAND at Shaukiwan, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His MAJESTY THE KING, for one further term of 75 years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements. N.	S.	E.	W.	Contents in Square feet.	Annual Rental	Upset Price.
			ft.	ft.	ft.	ft.		$	$
1	Shaukiwan Inla 1 Lot No. 556.	Adjoining Shaukiwan Inland Lot No. 544, Shaukiwan East.	As per sale plan.				About 2,790	52	4,165

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PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements. N.	S.	E.	W.	Contents in Square feet.	Annual Rental	Upset Price.
			ft.	ft.	ft.	ft.		$	$
2	Bura Building Lot No. 371.	Near Rural Building Lot No. 152, Lugard Road.	As per sale plan				About 16,500	190	1,980

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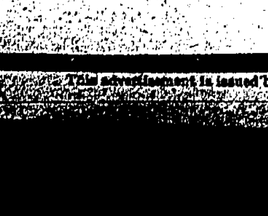

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Kowloon Supplement

HONG KONG, APRIL 21, 1933.

SECURITY

ONE of the most commendable features of British colonisation, and one that is far too readily overlooked is the unconditional security which all subjects receive under the Crown protectorate. Writers like Mr. L. C. Arlington, an American formerly in the employ of the Chinese Maritime Customs, who so savagely attacks our "land-grabbing" tactics in his book, "Through the Dragon's Eyes," forget that under British rule lands that were once at the mercy of brigands and pirates and whose inhabitants were constantly fleeced by avaricious officials, are now havens of refuge for any desirable persons, of whatever race or creed, who wish to take up their residence there. This is as true of Kowloon and Hong Kong as it is of any other part of the British Empire. Those Chinese who have found protection for life and property on the Mainland or on the Island will be the first to agree that Hong Kong is the only place in the whole of China where they can be assured that they will not be robbed, kidnapped or murdered by outlaws. There is no irresponsible taxation lavied on every conceivable item—a system which has done great harm to commercial health of Canton—and the Government tax on property is so low that it would be difficult to find an equal to it anywhere else in the world. To the Chinese with capital, Kowloon is a veritable gold mine, for he may buy large areas of valuable building land and develop them with the practically certainty of selling at a profit or letting the property as flats and shops at substantial rentals. As a residential centre, Kowloon and the New Territories offer enviable features which appeal to all who desire peace and protection, and it is a significant fact that many retired officials of the Chinese army and Government immediately turn to this Colony as a haven of refuge when they want to retire. Indeed, the number of ex-generals, and high officials who are now living in retirement in various parts of the Colony is astonishing. It is not only warlords who enjoy protection under British rule, however; the large trading community of the Colony, the industrial enterprises whose annual exports run into five figures, and the native shops and banks where so much wealth is conserved—all derive confidence from the strong arm of the British Government. One never hears of a run on the banks in Hong Kong and the dollar, though it may fluctuate in accordance with movements of sterling abroad, is a unit of exchange which can always be depended upon to retain its parity. One can never imagine business men in Hong Kong getting "panicky," though it must be confessed that the Colony has passed through times of hardship and anxiety which would have broken many another foreign colony in the Far East. Perhaps the greatest secret of our successful administration is that we have, after nearly ninety years of patient and equitable administration, persuaded the Chinese of our integrity and of our honest desire to develop the Colony on sound and progressive lines. They, in turn, have shown their appreciation by giving us their co-operation in every possible direction and we look forward to the expansion of this spirit, convinced that only through harmony, goodwill and combined effort can the residents of Hong Kong and Kowloon, Chinese and European, maintain the splendid traditions which this Colony, alone of ports in the Orient, has maintained unfalteringly for nearly a century of peaceful trading.

A VISIT TO THE GREAT WALL

INTERESTING EXPERIENCE OF KOWLOON RESIDENT

The Great Wall has lately acquired a new interest for the world, not due to its archaeological value, but owing to the invasion by Japanese forces in their determination to keep China out of Manchuria. In view of the tense situation which has arisen from the Sino-Japanese imbroglio, it is interesting to read the following description of Shanhaikwan by a lady member of St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, which was published in the Church monthly magazine recently. Not long ago we gave a similar account of the experiences, of this lady, who wishes to remain anonymous. She writes:

"When I left Hong Kong in June last year, I had a very vague idea of where I was going. I knew Tientsin was in the North, but I had never troubled to look it up on the map. Of course, we called in at Shanghai on our way, but I've no need to write of that, as it is well-known to so many of us who live in the East.

"I arrived in Tientsin when it was just beginning to get quite warm and it was a great relief to know we were going off to the seaside in a few days. I spent about ten days in Tientsin and during that time just roamed around in the early morning and the cool of the evening, but did not get to know very much about the place.

"Shanhaikwan was our destination, and you know that this place has been very much in the forefront of the news during the last few weeks. We left Tientsin on June 17 (a very hot day) and we travelled through 200 miles of Hopei. It was all very interesting to me as this was my first visit to China proper. The journey was very uninteresting at first—everything seemed dusty and dry, with walled in villages here and there.

"Gradually as we got away from the Tangku district, the scenery began to soften and the fields took on a well-cared-for appearance. The railroad was well guarded by soldiers and at one place, we saw a number on parade. The trainguard, too, made their presence known by continually passing through the carriages. The stations along the line were well guarded, and it was at these places we realised the conditions under which the people were living.

"On reaching Petaiho junction, it seemed that nearly all the passengers wished to alight, and it was so, for when all the furore was over and we settled down, there were few of us left and by the time we left Chinwangtao, we had the carriage to ourselves.

"By this time, we had picked up a mountain range, and once again I smiled for I love mountains and hills and Tientsin was devoid of both, being absolutely flat.

"Eagerly we scanned the hills for the first glimpse of the Great Wall, and having seen it, we knew we were at our journey's end. (Seven hours in the train and nearly 200 miles away from our homes!) We had another three miles to go after we arrived at Shanhaikwan—this time in a miniature railway drawn by mules along a single trolley track."

(To be Continued)

LADIES' NIGHT

CENCERT VOTED GREAT SUCCESS

Unanimously agreed to be the most successful event of the season, the concluding Ladies' Night concert attracted a large and enthusiastic audience to the West Lounge of the European Y.M.C.A., Kowloon, last night. The programme, which had been exceedingly well arranged, included some of the best talent in the Colony and every item was received with prolonged applause. One of the most appreciated numbers was the singing of the Y.M.C.A., Choir, which recently broadcasted from the local Studio by special request of H.E. the Governor. Their repertoire comprised a great variety of popular choruses, sea songs and anthems, each of which was delightfully rendered. Equally popular was the "act" by Jack Grenham and J. J. Ferguson, whose song and dance received the applause it merited. Popular choruses by Messrs. Baldwin and Bishop, in which the audience joined, were followed by banjo solos cleverly rendered by Mr. Davidson, whilst a burlesque by "Cornelius & Co." brought the "house" down. Mrs. Gardiner sang a number of charming songs which were much appreciated, and other item composed a programme which could only be criticised for being too short, although the concert did not conclude until well after eleven o'clock. Perhaps the most enjoyable item of the evening was a short play, entitled "Shanghai," which was presented by members of the "Y" Amateur Dramatic Club. It was a clever little sketch, well acted and well produced. The Secretary and Committee of the Y.M.C.A. are to be congratulated on the excellent entertainment they have provided every month for Ladies Night, the resumption of which in the Autumn will be keenly looked forward to by members.

IS IT A TIGER?

Villagers Scared by "Striped Animal"

Great excitement has been caused in Shatin by the report that a tiger has lately been seen in the vicinity. A farmer reports that as he was returning home across the paddi fields on Saturday evening he saw a large dark object prowling beneath a tree. He was so scared that he dropped the basket of fowls he was carrying and fled, and as he did so he heard a low snarl and a scampering noise as though the animal had dashed away into the hills. Later he plucked up courage and, accompanied by two friends, armed with rakes, returned to the spot. There was no sign of any "tiger," but the basket he had dropped had been dragged several yards away, the lid torn open and all the chickens were missing. There were blood and feathers on the ground.

An elderly Chinese woman, also living at Shatin village, is alleged to have seen a large, tawny coloured animal, with black stripes on its back, crossing the valley behind the Tao Fung Shan nonastery. According to this woman's decription, the creature was about eight feet long and looked like an enormous cat. She reported the matter directly she got to the village, but a search failed to locate the animal.

Mr. Hainsan, who lives in the Monastery, told a *Daily Press* representative that he had frequently seen large pug-marks in the vicinity of the building, and suggested that they were made by a big animal of the feline species, probably a type of leopard. He had heard that tigers were sometimes seen in the New Territories, but he thought in this instance the accounts had been exaggerated.

A nine year-old girl, Yip Yuen, was injured by being knocked down by a lorry in Pitt Street on Wednesday. She was taken to the Kowloon Hospital.

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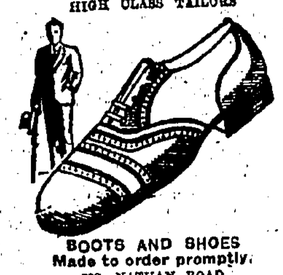

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CATHAY DANCING ACADEMY

Selling Liquor Without Licence

PROPRIETOR FINED

It is understood that following complaints by residents in the neighbourhood, The Cathay Dancing Academy at Yaumati was raided by the Police on Wednesday. The proprietors, Messrs. A. F. Sheppard and D. Powell were summoned before Mr Butters at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for selling liquor on the premises without a licence.

Inspector Booker said the Police were informed that liquor was being sold at the Academy, and, with the view to ascertaining this allegation, a servant was sent to investigate on April 11. He was able to obtain liquor on payment. Another sergeant was despatched two days later and he also was able to obtain liquor on payment.

A warrant to raid the place was then issued, and Inspector Booker himself found seven men drinking in a back-room. A large quantity of liquor was seized, including over 50 bottles of Asahi beer, a similar quantity of Whitbread stout, several bottles of whisky, gin, port and brandy.

$100 Fine.

On behalf of both defendants, Mr. R. H. Cole, of Messrs. Hall Bruton & Co., pleaded guilty.

His Worship: What is the total value of the liquor seized?

Inspector Booker: About $138.85. That is the agent's price.

His Worship: How long has this dancing institute been in operation?—I believe it was started last December. It was originally on the opposite side of the road (Nathan Road) to the Yisfun Dancing Academy, but when Yisfun moved out, the Cathay moved in.

A fine of $100 was imposed on each defendant.

BENEFIT OF THE DOUBT

COOLIE ACCUSED OF "SNATCHING"

On the arrival of the P. & O. Sirdhana from Calcutta on Wednesday, a Chinese woman disembarked and was waiting for a motor-boat when a coolie came from behind and snatched a gold bangle from the child she was carrying on her back. The coolie was arrested and charged before Mr. Butters at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday with the theft.

It was stated by Inspector Rozeskwy that when the complainant felt a tug she turned round and saw the defendant. She caught hold of his arm as he was still tugging at the child's wrist, and later handed him over to the Police.

Giving evidence, complainant said there was a large number of people on the wharf at the time. She was certain that it was defendant who snatched the bangle because she caught his arm. The bangle was not recovered.

Evidence contradictory in some respects to that given by complainant was supplied by another woman passenger, who was not sure where defendant was standing.

His Worship gave the defendant the benefit of the doubt, and discharged him.

$500 HAUL AT MONKOK

KNITTING FACTORY BURGLED

One of the most daring burglaries committed in Kowloon for several months past took place at the San Ka Ting Knitting Factory, 218, Chung Choi Street, Mongkok, in the early hours of Wednesday morning. Although there was a watchman on the premises, the men forced at entrance at about 3 a.m. and stole a large quantity of clothing, valued at $536.50. Amongst the property stolen were fifty-one dozen singlets, fifteen dozen pairs of shorts and a large number of stockings. It is believed that the thieves, who must have taken a considerable time to secure all the property and convey it from the premises, were seen by a pedestrian, who informed the Police. Within twelve hours of the robbery, two Chinese youths, Ng Chung Kau (17) and Lai Kai (19), both unemployed and of no fixed abode, were arrested on a charge of breaking into the factory. The case will be heard before Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

A cargo coolie was removed to the Kowloon Hospital with a wound in the leg on Wednesday. It was later learned that his alleged assailant was a woman with whom he quarrelled while they were working on a lighter at the Kowloon Godowns.

WORK FREE WIVES

Instructional Classes at Y.M.C.A.

The instructional classes which Mrs. J. H. Hunt, the wife of the Secretary of the European Y.M.C.A., Kowloon, has organised for members of the Women's Section, are reported to have met with gratifying results, and of the 150 members of the Women's Section, 120 are taking part in the various classes. A keenness to learn French or to re-polish their early knowledge of it, has been evidenced by the popularity of this class with lady members, whilst the sewing and embroidery classes are also well supported. Considerable interest has been exhibited in the leather-work and art-work class, conducted by Mrs. Hunt, and some of the articles made by members, including tooled handbags and boxes, are outstanding both in design and workmanship. In addition, there is a class for instruction in first-aid work, under the aegis of the St. John Ambulance, and this has proved attractive to members. There is no doubt that the classes serve an excellent purpose in the Colony, especially among married ladies who have no occupation and are often at a loss to know what to do with their enforced leisure.

VISIT TO CANTON

PARTY FROM ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

During the week-end the Rev. W. Walton Rogers, Vicar of St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, will be absent from the Colony, as he is to take a party of six members of the Church on a visit to Canton. They are due to arrive in Canton this evening and during the course of their stay will visit the Church Missionary Society's premises at the East Gate, where they will spend the night, and also a number of missionary and theological hostels in the city. The party will return to the Colony by boat on Sunday evening.

During the Vicar's absence the morning services at St. Andrew's Church will be taken by the Rev. G.E.S. Upedell, Principal of the Yaumati Government School, whilst Evensong will be taken by the Rev. W. Nash, of the Diocesan Boys' School, Kowloon.

COLONEL KILLED BY BOAR

DEATH STRUGGLE IN THE JUNGLE

Calcutta, Mar. 16.—News reached Calcutta to-day of the death in hospital in the Central Provinces of Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Seymour, King's Royal Rifle Corps (retired), as the result of being gored by a boar.

Colonel Seymour was visiting India on a shikar expedition. He missed with his first shot, the boar charged, and Colonel Seymour, tripping over creepers, was severely gored in the abdomen.

The boar was killed by Colonel Seymour with a second shot with the right hand while his left was gripping the animal's throat.

Colonel Seymour, whose home is at Alresford, Hants, was 59 years of age and was the eldest son of Lord Albert Seymour, second son of the fifth Marquess of Hertford. He was educated at Charterhouse and joined the 60th Rifles in 1897. He served in India, in the South African War, and in the Great War, in which he was wounded twice and awarded the D.S.O. He retired ten years ago.

BRITISH RAILWAYS REVIVE

991,000 MORE PASSENGERS IN ONE MONTH

A turn of the travelling public towards the railways is suggested by the figures for last December, issued by the Ministry of Transport.

The total of passenger journeys (excluding season ticket holders) taken in Great Britain in that month was 95,937,894. This is an increase compared with December, 1931, of 991,428, or 1.0 per cent.

Journeys at reduced fares increased by 2,480,194, but those at standard or ordinary fares decreased by 1,488,766. Receipts from passengers (excluding season ticket holders) decreased by £13,321, or 0.3 per cent.

Freight train receipts amounted to £6,123,586, a decrease of £309,078, or 5.7 per cent.

COMMODITY PRICES IN JAPAN

OSAKA INDEX STILL ON THE DOWNWARD PATH

Tokyo.—Commodity prices in Osaka continue their downward course. The *Asahi* puts the average index number of the wholesale prices of 57 principal articles for March at 134.2, a drop of 2.7 (two per cent.) from February. This fall is not as severe as that experienced in February, yet it brings the total loss since the beginning of the year to 9.6 per cent. It fully illustrates the extent of the reaction to the abrupt rise last year.

Except metals which thanks to the active demand for war materials rose five per cent. all groups reveal losses. Textiles, with a drop of 3.6 per cent. top the list, followed by fertilisers, miscellaneous and grains which suffered 3.5 per cent. three per cent. and two per cent. respectively. The U.S. banking crisis and the consequent gold embargo has had no direct effects on the commodity market here with a few exceptions such as raw silk and rayon. The Indian tariff increase is also responsible for the drop in rayon prices.

Of the 57 articles listed, 13 advanced and 32 declined, with no change for the remainder. Details are as follows:—

Advanced: Foreign rice, flour, raw cotton, sheets, zinc, lead, coal, glass, cement, cotton yarn, mousseline, steel bars.

Declined: Japanese rice, Korean rice, rye, barley, wheat, soya beans, tea, sake, rape seed oil, white cloth, grey shirting, raw silk, habutae, crepe, woollen yarn, rayon, cloth, electrolytic copper, aluminium, gasoline, lamp oil, sulphate of ammonia, soya bean cake, lumber, matting, corrugated sheets, sulphric and, caustic soda, machine oil, printing paper, wrapping paper, dyestuffs.

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BRITISH RUBBER RESEARCH

BILL TO BE INTRODUCED IN HOUSE OF LORDS.

London, April 11.—Mr. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade announced in the House of Commons to-day that, owing to the congestion of business in the House, the Government proposed shortly to introduce a bill in the House of Lords with a view to facilitating the continuance of research by the Association of British Rubber Manufacturers.

The Association suspended work recently owing to lack of funds.

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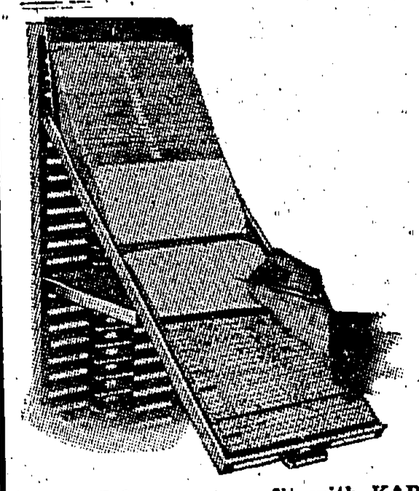

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HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE. — SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION.

Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal	THURSDAY, APRIL 20.	Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal
				Banks				
...	...	$1,750	...	H.K. Banks	$1,735	...	...	...
...	...	...	£120½	Do. (London)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	£13½	Chartered Banks	...	...	...	£13½
...	...	...	£24¼	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£24¼
...	...	...	£9⅞	Do. "C"	...	...	...	£9¾
...	...	...	$100	Bank of East Asia	...	...	...	$101½
...	...	...	...	N. C. & S. Banks	...	...	...	$7½
...	...	...	$20	Am. O. Fin. Corp. M	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	S$16.80	China Fin. Corp. Ord.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	S$6.40	Do Pref.	...	...	...	...
				Insurances				
$1,360	...	...	...	Canton Insurances	...	...	...	$1,355
...	...	...	$2.35	Underwriters	...	...	...	$2.40
...	...	...	$560	Union Insurances	...	...	...	$560
...	...	...	$620	China Fires	...	...	...	$625
$1,240	...	...	...	H.K. Fires	...	...	...	$1,340
...	...	...	S$5.20	International Assoc.	...	...	...	...
				Shipping				
$32½	...	...	...	Douglases	...	...	...	$34
...	...	...	$22	Steamboats	...	...	...	$22
...	...	...	$26	Indos (pref.)	...	...	...	65/-
...	...	...	$20	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	80/-
...	...	...	42/6	Shells	...	...	...	41/9
...	...	...	$20½	Waterboats	...	...	...	$20½
				Mining				
$20½	...	...	...	Benguets	...	...	...	$20
...	...	...	$4.20	Venezuela Gold Flds.	...	...	...	$3
...	...	...	21/3	Kailans	...	...	...	25/-
...	...	...	S$9.20	Langkats (single)	...	...	...	T.8½
...	...	...	S$2.90	Explorations	...	...	...	T.3.25
...	...	...	S$3.20	Shanghai Loans	...	...	...	T.3.25
...	...	...	$9.30	Raubs	...	...	...	$9.50
...	...	...	...	Tronoh Mines	...	...	...	13/6
33 cts.	...	...	...	Benguet Explorations	...	...	...	...
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
$131	...	...	...	H.K. & K. Wharves	...	...	...	$130
$3.90	...	...	...	Providents (old)	...	...	$4	...
$1.30	...	...	...	Do. (new)	$1.45	...	...	...
...	...	...	$18½	H.K. & W. Docks	...	...	...	$20
...	...	...	$10	S. China Motors 'A'	...	...	...	$8
...	...	...	$8	Do. "B"	...	...	...	$8
...	...	...	S$133	Shanghai Docks	...	...	...	T.130
...	...	...	S$7.70	New Engineerings	...	...	...	T.8
...	...	...	$133	Hongkews	...	...	...	...
				Lands, Hotels, and Buildings				
...	...	$6.95	...	H.K. Hotels	...	...	$7	...
...	...	$74½	...	H.K. Lands	$74½	...	...	...
...	...	...	S$3.80	Shanghai Lands	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	S$14	Metropolitan Lands	...	...	...	...
$7	...	...	...	H.K. Realties	...	...	...	$7
...	...	...	S$14	China Do	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	S$137	Do. Debentures	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$14	Humphreys	...	...	...	$13.90
...	...	...	M$140	Asia Realties "A"	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	M$22	Do. "B"	...	...	...	...
$95	...	...	...	Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
				Cotton Mills				
...	...	S	$5.60	Ewos	...	...	...	T.16
...	...	...	S$99	S'hai Cottons	...	...	...	T.100
...	...	...	S$15	Zoong Sings	...	...	...	T.14¾
...	...	...	$103	Wing On Textiles (S.)	...	...	...	$100
				Public Utilities				
...	...	...	$21½	Tramways	...	...	$21.0	...
...	...	...	$17.20	Peak Trams (old)	...	...	...	$16
...	...	...	$8	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$8
...	...	...	$91	Star Ferries	...	...	...	$91
...	...	...	$32	Yaumati Ferries (old)	...	...	...	$32
...	...	...	$31½	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$31
...	...	...	...	cum. rights	...	...	...	$30
$11.95	...	...	...	China Lights (old)	...	$12	11.90/	95
...	...	...	$11½	Do. (new)	...	$11½	$11.80	...
$72	...	...	...	H.K. Electrics	...	...	...	$72½
$24	...	...	...	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$10½	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$27.15	Telephones	...	...	...	$27.10
...	...	...	S$14	China Buses	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	2/-	Tractions	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	12/-	Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
				Industrials				
...	...	...	$15	Malabon Sugars	...	...	...	$27
...	...	...	S$19½	Caldbeck, (ord.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	S	$14.70	Macgregors (pref.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$6	Canton Ices	...	...	...	$6
...	...	$7	...	Cements (comb.)	...	$6.95	$6.95	...
...	...	...	$5½	Do. (old)	...	...	...	$5
...	...	...	$1¼	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$1¼
...	...	...	$9	Ropes	...	...	...	$10
...	...	...	...	Ch. Agricultures	...	...	...	...
				Miscellaneous				
...	...	...	$27	Dairy Farms	...	...	...	$27
...	...	...	$1	Der A Wings	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$12½	Amusements	...	...	...	$12¾
...	...	...	$12	Ch. E'tainments	...	...	...	$12
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...	...	...	$21	Mackintoshs	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	...	...	...	$4¾
...	...	...	$15½	Sinceres	...	...	...	$15.55
...	...	...	$8	Watsons	...	...	...	$7¾
...	...	...	$3.35	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	$3
...	...	...	$10	M. Greyhounds	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$3½	S. C. Enterprises	...	...	...	$2½
...	...	...	S$5	United Theatres	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	68½%	B. Ind. G.$ Bonds	...	...	...	68%
6%	prem.	...	...	H.K. Govt. Loans	$105	...	...	...
...	...	...	$9	Wallace Harper	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	China Sports Ltd	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$220	H.K. Wing On	...	...	...	$220
...	...	...	...	S'hai Do	...	...	...	$160

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Samshui and Wuchow (By direct steamer)	4.00 p.m.	4.00 p.m.	4.00 p.m.	9.00 a.m.
Macao & Tsinshan	7.15 a.m. & 1.15 p.m.	7.30 a.m. 1.30 p.m.	8.15 a.m. & 1.15 p.m. Sundays 8.15 a.m. only	8.30 a.m. & 1.30 p.m. Sundays 8.30 a.m. only
Kongmoon (except Saturdays)	5.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	5.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Kaukong (except Saturdays)		6.00 p.m.		6.00 p.m.
Fatshan and Wuchow (By Train)	7.15 a.m.		7.15 a.m.	
Tai O	1.00 p.m.		11.00 a.m.	
Tai Po	9.00 a.m. & 3.00 p.m.		9.00 a.m.	
Shumchun	9.00 a.m. & 3.00 p.m.		11.00 a.m.	
Cheungchow	1.00 p.m. & 5.00 p.m.		11.00 a.m. & 5.00 p.m.	
Aberdeen	8.00 a.m.		8.00 a.m.	
Stanley	12.30 p.m.		11.00 a.m.	
Autau	8.30 a.m.		8.30 a.m.	
Pingshan, Santin Shatin, Shataukok and Sheungshui	3.00 p.m.		10.30 a.m.	
Saikung	4.30 p.m.		10.30 a.m.	
Tamtau Shekk & Taiping Numas)		7.00 p.m.		7.00 p.m.

MONEY AND MARKETS

HONG KONG STOCK MARKET

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

A better undertone prevailed in the market to-day, but holders seem disinclined to part with shares at the present levels.

Cash Lights were in active demand, being dealt in at round about $12, although a few forward lots were being offered at proportionately lower rates.

Benguet Consolidateds made a further sharp advance, and were bid up to $23½.

Sales.

Benguet Consolidated, $22.
Lane, Crawfords, $4½/4.60.

Buyers.

Canton Insurances, $1,360.
H.K. Fire Insurances, $1,240.
Douglases, $32½
Benguet Consolidated, $23½.
Benguet Explorations, 33 cents.
Wharves, $131.
Providents (Old), $3.90.
Providents (New), $1.30.
H.K. Realties, $7.10.
Chinese Estates, $95.
China Lights (Old), $11.95.
Electrics, $72.
Macao Electrics, $24.
Lane, Crawfords, $4.35.
Constructions (New), 90 cents.
Govt. Loans, 6% prem.

Sellers.

Union Waterboats, $20.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS., REPORT

Messrs. Roza Bros., have forwarded us the following exchange market report for yesterday.

Silver prices rose yesterday to the extent of 7/16 for Ready and Forward, the quotations being 18⅝ for Ready and 18.7/16 for Forward. Silver advices attributed the rise to American speculators having bought. China Banks sold. The tone at the close was firm with America still a strong buyer. The American price of Silver rose 3 cents to 33 for Spot. The market was firm.

New York advices reported the opening rate at 3.56½ and the closing rate 3.71. The highest rate done was 3.93.

Market.

Steady for Sterling. The Gold Dollar market was strong. Later, however, the market eased off slightly, particularly in Sterling exchange.

Sterling.

The market opened with sellers at 1/4 for May leading to a small business at that rate for cash delivery. Subsequently sellers came out at 1/4.1/16, buyers bidding 1/4½. Later the market reacted and buyers came out at 1/4.1/16, 1/4.1/32 and business was again arranged at 1/4 for May and second half May. The market closed at lunch time with sellers at 1/3.15/16 April, 1/3.31/32 May and 1/4 June-July, buyers at 1/4 April-May, 1/4.1/32 June and probably July.

Gold Dollars.

The market opened with sellers at 24⅝ for cash, buyers bidding 24⅝ for cash. Later business was done at 24⅝ for last day of April. The market closed at lunch time with sellers at 24⅝ April, 24.7/16 May and 24⅜ June, buyers at 24½ for cash and last day of April, 24.9/16 May and 24⅜ June.

Yen.

Merchants were quoted at 108 for near delivery.

Shanghai Dollars.

Were quoted at 108 for near delivery.

Shanghai.

The highest rate done this morning was 1/2⅜ for May. Later the market eased off and business was done at 1/2.9/16 and 1/2½ for near delivery. There were sellers at 1/2.7/16 April, buyers probably at 1/2½ cash.

IN THE AFTERNOON

The market was quiet in the afternoon.

Sterling.

Business was done at 1/4 for May delivery, finishing with sellers at 1/3.31/32 April-May and 1/4 June, buyers at 1/4 April and probably May and 1/4.1/32 June.

Gold Dollars.

The market closed with sellers at 24.7/16 near, 24½ May, 24⅜ June and 24.13/16 July, buyers at 24⅝ for near, 24.9/16 May, 24⅝ June and 24.15/16 July.

Shanghai.

Steady.—Sellers were indicated at 1/2.9/16 for near, buyers probably at 1/2⅝ for cash.

LONDON STOCK MARKET

SWAN, CULBERTSON AND FRITZ REPORT

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London on April 19. All quotations are subject to confirmation and we assume no responsibility for errors in transmission. They are received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz in conjunction with Reuter.

Market.—The market is unsettled owing mainly to the sharp depreciation of American dollars.

	Apr. 18	Apr. 19
Stocks and Ordinary Shares.		
British Govt. securities War Loan 3½ per cent. Redm. after 1952	102-1/8	102-1/8
Chinese Bonds.		
4½ per cent. Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£ 99	£ 99
4½ per cent. Loan 1908	£ 72-1/2	£ 72-1/2
5 per cent. Loan 1912	£ 43	£ 42-1/2
5 per cent. Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 75-3/4	£ 75-1/2
5 per cent. Bonds 1925-47	£104	£102
5 per cent. S'hai-Nanking Rly.	£ 33-38	£ 33-38
5 per cent. Tient.-Pukow Rly.	£ 15-25	£ 15-25
5 per cent. Tient.-Pukow Rly (Supl. Loan)	£ 15-25	£ 15-25
5 per cent. S'hai-Hangchow-Ningpo Rly.	£ 68-73	£ 68-73
5 per cent. Honan Rly.	£ 5-10	£ 5-10
5 per cent Hukuang Rly. 1911	£ 22-26	£ 22-26
5 per cent. Lung Tsing U Hai Rly. 1913	£ 10-15	£ 10-15
Foreign Bonds and Banks.		
German 7 per. Int. Loan 1924	72/-xd	71/6
Japan 5 per cent. Sterling Loan 1907	£ 64-3/4	£ 64-1/2
Japan 6 per cent. Sterling Loan 1924	£ 75-1/4	£ 74-1/4
H.K. and S'hai. Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)	£102-1/2	£121
Chartd. Bk. of I., A. & C. £5 share	£ 13-1/2	£ 13-1/2
Industrials and Breweries.		
Associated Elec. Industries	15/-	15/9
Brit.-Amer. Tobacco (Bearer)	95/-	95/-
Chinese Eng. & Min. (Bearer)	21/3	21/3
J. & P. Coats	48/-	48/3
Courtaulds	27/-	26/6
Distillers	53/6	53/6
Dunlop Rubber	22/-	21/9
Everready 5/- Share	28/4½	28/3
General Elec. (England)	40/-	40/3
Guinness	80/9	80/9
Impl. Chem. Industries	25/-	25/1½
Impl. Chem. Ind. Def. 10/- Share	5/10½	5/10½
Impl. Tobacco	91/-	91/-
International Tea Stores 5/- Share	27/6	27/6
Internation Nickel, no par val.	$ 13-7/8	$ 14 3/
Pinchin Johnson 10/- Share	27/6	27/6
Turner & Newall	24/6	24/6
Unilever	23/6	23/3
Miscellaneous.		
Anglo-Dutch	11/-	11/3
Burma Corpn. Rs. 10	11/3	11/4½
Canadian Pac. Rly. $25 Share	$ 12-3/8	$ 12-1/2
Chartd. 15/- Share (Bearer)	16/6	15/3
Cula Kalumpong Rubber	11/-	11/-
Lace Proprietary Mines	69/4½	66/3
Langlaagte Estates	28/9	28/-
London Tin 10/- Sh.	9/-	9/-
Pekin Syndicate 2/- Ord. Sh.	1/6	1/6
Rubber Trusts	16/7½	17/3
S'hai. Elec. Constr.	49/-	49/-
Van Ryn Deep	36/10½	35/-
Vickers 6/8d. each	6/-	6/1½
Oils.		
Anglo-Persian Oil	37/6	37/6
Burmah Oil	59/-	58/9
Mexican Eagle Mex. $4 Sh.	6/7½	6/7½
Royal Dutch 100 Fl. Sh.	£ 16-7/8	£ 16-7/8
Shell Trans. and Trad. (Bearer)	42/6	42/6
Geldenhuis	20/10½	20/3
Crown Mines	193/9	185/-

SHANGHAI SHARE MARKET

CARROLL BROS. QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Carroll Bros. have forwarded us the following cabled quotations of April 20 from Shanghai.

China Finance Corp.	$ 5.40
International Investment Trust Co. (Ord.)	10.60
Cathay Land	16.10
Yangtsze Finance Co.	9.10
International Assurance Co.	5.25
China Realty Co.	14.75
Shanghai Land Investment Co.	31.75
New Engineering & Ship Building Works (Ord.)	8.00
Shanghai Dock & Engeering Co.	104.00
Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co.	300.00
Shanghai Electric Construction Co. "Bearer"	30.00
Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd.	15.40
Shanghai Cotton Manufacturing Co.	95.00
Zoong Sing Cotton Mills, Ltd.	14.00
American Asiatic Underwriters (Ord.)	25.00
American Oriental Finance Corp. "Bearer"	20.00
Asia Realty "Bearer"	20.00
Chinese 5 per cent. Gold $ Bonds 1925	70%

(Continued on next column)

All prices are in Shanghai dollars

JAPAN'S FOREIGN TRADE

IMPORTS NOW EXPECTED TO DROP GRADUALLY

Tokyo.—It is generally believed that Japan's foreign trade is now back to normal conditions. Exports may not increase much, but imports are expected to drop gradually.

The trade volume for the first ten days of April, as already noted, was Y94,770,000; Y40,989,000 in exports and Y53,781,000 in imports, indicating an adverse balance of Y12,792,000. Compared with the previous eleven days, both exports and imports show drops of Y17,268,000 and Y4,679,000, respectively.

The above sharp fall in the export trade is not unexpected. The volume exported during the last eleven days of March was much larger than usual, in as much as it included goods held up by the banking crisis in the United States. The present figure of Y40,989,000 is more normal. It is significant, however, that raw silk has fallen Y1,500,000, cotton tissues Y4,995,000 and silk tissues P716,000. As regards the import trade, the drop is natural as the business season is now ended. Raw cotton imports increased by Y8,654,000 to Y20,411,000. The quantity of 471,422 piculs, however, is what was generally anticipated.

As regards overseas factors affecting Japan's foreign trade, much hope is pinned to the emergency schemes in the United States. The Indian Anti-Exchange Dumping Law, if applied to Japanese cotton goods, will be a serious blow, but reports so far received state that there will be a delay of about two months in the actual working of the law. The Sino-Japanese tariff agreement is soon to be abrogated, but it is hoped that the Chinese Government will not effect any marked change in tariff rates.

In the circumstances, it is generally believed that the export trade will retain its present position, though it may not increase much in the immediate future, and that with the busiest season now ended, imports will gradually fall.

HARRIMAN BANK ASSETS

DEPOSITORS TO BE PAID FULLY AND PROMPTLY

New York, Apr. 9.—The Secretary of Treasury, Mr. William Woodin, to-day conferred with a number of leading bankers of the metropolis and later announced that the Harriman National Bank depositors will be paid fully and promptly.

Mr. Woodin arranged that the Manufacturers Trust Co. would take over the assets of the Harriman Bank and act as an agent of the Treasury Department.

The Secretary and Treasury agents found that the deposits in the Harriman Bank were fully protected by assets and that deposits may be taken out in currency or transferred to other banks. He urged that depositors should transfer their accounts to banks that have been licenced and found to be entirely solvent.

The bank's affairs were not in good order when it was closed by the Treasury following the discovery that false entries had been made and its books had been altered.

Mr. Joseph Wright Harriman, president of the institution, was arrested and indicted on charges of making false reports. He will be arraigned on the charges on Monday.

In the meantime, the interests of all stockholders and officials will be conserved and protected by the Treasury.—*United Press.*

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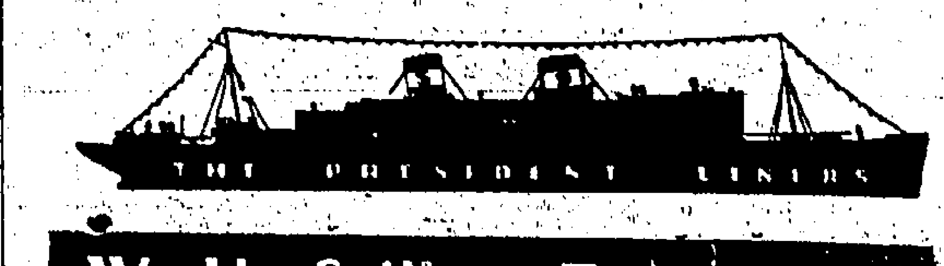

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New York: April 19.

Dow Jones Averages:	High—1932	Low	Apr. 18	Apr. 19	Change
30 Industrials	88.78	41.22	62.65	68.31	5.66 up
20 Rails	41.30	13.23	26.12	27.59	1.47 up
20 Utilities	36.11	16.53	20.99	21.24	.25 up
40 Bonds	83.26	65.78	74.16	73.76	.40 down

Asia Lands, Limited, has received the following report from their New York correspondents, E. A. Pierce & Co. Stocks advanced on dispatches from Washington quoting President Roosevelt as saying that attempts to stabilise the American Dollar have been abandoned until other nations with deflated currency returned to the gold Standard. We think advanced industrials will meet with sterner opposition around the "70" level of the Dow Jones averages. Inflation was the sole market factor. Cotton, silver and wheat advanced sharply today on successive waves of general buying and profit-taking was absorbed with ease. Silver advanced by the three cent limit permitted by the Metal Exchange.

Business Done: 5,090,000 shares.

1932 High	1932 Low	Div. $ Per Sh.		Last Sale Apr. 18	Last Sale Apr. 19
64½	30⅞	3.00	Air Reduction	56½	60½
89¼	42⅛	6.00	Allied Chemical & Dye	92¼	80¼
73¾	29⅞	4.00	American Can	68¾	70
27¾	5¼	—	American Smelting	20⅜	23¼
137⅞	70½	9.00	American Tel. & Tel.	88	90
89¼	44	5.00	American Tobacco "B"	65⅞	70¼
19⅞	3	—	Anaconda Copper Mining	8	10
151½	28¼	2.00	Auburn	36½	38½
43½	18¾	1.60	Borden Company	23¼	25¼
20¾	7½	—	Canadian Pacific	8⅞	9½
65¼	16⅞	—	J. I. Cast	49⅞	53
21¼	5	1.00	Chrysler Motors	12¼	13⅜
68¾	31½	4.00	Consolidated Gas of N.Y.	44⅜	43⅞
57	23	3.00	Drugs, Inc.	36¼	40½
59⅞	22	2.00	Du Pont de Nemours	39¾	44
87⅞	35¼	3.00	Eastman Kodak	53	57⅞
48	5	6% s.	Electric Bond & Share	12⅞	14
26⅛	8½	0.40	General Electric	14⅜	16
40¼	19⅞	2.00	General Foods	27¼	28⅞
24⅞	7⅞	1.00	General Motors	14⅛	15⅛
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37¾	9	1.00	Loew's Inc.	12¾	14⅞
16¼	3½	—	Montgomery Ward	15	17
46⅞	20¼	2.80	National Biscuit	[illegible]	[illegible]
37	16⅞	2.00	Pacific Gas & Electric	[illegible]	[illegible]
23⅞	6¼	0.50	Pennsylvania Railway	16⅞	18
13¼	3¼	—	Radio Corpn.	4½	4⅞
37¼	9⅞	—	Sears Roebuck	19¼	21⅞
37⅞	19⅞	1.00	Standard Oil Co. of New		

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Swatow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	"HUNAN"	On 23rd Apr.,	Noon
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SUNNING"	On 23rd Apr.,	Noon
Swatow & Bangkok	"KWANGCHOW"	On 23rd Apr.,	4 p.m.
Amoy, Swatow, Hoihow & S'pore	"ANSHUN"	On 24th Apr.,	6 a.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SOIYANG"	On 25th Apr.,	Noon
Amoy & Shanghai	"TSINAN"	On 26th Apr.,	5 p.m.
Swatow & Shanghai	"KWANGTUNG"	On 28th Apr.,	10 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi & Haiphong	"YINGCHOW"	On 28th Apr.,	2 p.m.
Dairen & Newchwang	"NINGPO"	On 28th Apr.,	5 p.m.
Foochow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	"HOIHOW"	On 30th Apr.,	10 a.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SZECHUEN"	On 30th Apr.,	2 p.m.
Swatow & Bangkok	"KAYING"	On 30th Apr.,	4 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SOOCHOW"	On 2nd May,	2 p.m.
Amoy & Shanghai	"TAIYUAN"	On 3rd May,	5 p.m.
Hoihow, Pakhoi & Haiphong	"KINGYUAN"	On 5th May,	2 p.m.
Dalny & Newchwang	"CHUNGKING"	On 5th May,	5 p.m.

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Haining, Douglas, April 28.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), May 4.
Kum Sang, Jardine's, May 5.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, May 18.

Chefoo.
Hunan, B. & S., April 23.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, April 27.
Hoi How, B. & S., April 30.
Hang Sang, Jardine's, May 9.

Dalny.
Taming, B. & S., April 22.
Ningpo, B. & S., April 28.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 28.

Foochow.
Hai Yang, Douglas', April 21.
Hunan, B. & S., April 23.
Hai Ching, Douglas', April 25
Hop Sang, Jardine's, April 27.
Haining, Douglas, April 28.
Hoi How, B. & S., April 30.
Hang Sang, Jardine's, May 9.

JAPAN (Direct).
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., April 21.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 23.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., April 27.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Ixion, B. & S., May 11.

Japan and Shanghai.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), April 21.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., April 23.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 29.
Japan, Gilman's, April 30.
Sauerland, Jebsen's, April 30.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), May 4.
Naldera, P. & O., May 4.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., May 5.
Kum Sang, Jardine's, May 5.
Tanda, E. & A., May 5.
Trier, Melchers', May 5.
Danmark, Manner's, May 6.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, May 6.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 10.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 10.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., May 12.
Marin Sanudo, Dodwell's, May 12.
Burdwan, P. & O., May 13.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, May 18.
Empress of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, May 24.

Newchwang.
Taming, B. & S., April 22.

Otaru.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 23.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.

SHANGHAI (Direct).
Kwai Sang, Jardine's, April 23.
Sun Ning, B. & S., April 23.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', April 25.
Sui Yang, B. & S., April 25.
Jutlandia, Manner's, April 26.
Norviken, Jardine's, April 26.
Tsinan, B. & S., April 26.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 28.
Fooshing, Jardine's, April 30.
Szechuen, B. & S., April 30.
Conte Verde, Dodwell's, May 6.
Andre, Lebon, Messageries', May 9.

Swatow.
Hai Yang, Douglas', April 21.
Hirundo, Thoresen's, April 23.
Hunan, B. & S., April 23.
Kwai Sang, Jardine's, April 23.
Kwangchow, B. & S., April 23.
Sun Ning, B. & S., April 23.
Svale, Douglas', April 23.
An Shun, B. & S., April 24.
Hai Ching, Douglas', April 25.
Sui Yang, B. & S., April 25.
Norviken, Jardine's, April 26.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, April 27.
Haining, Douglas, April 28.
Fooshing, Jardine's, April 30.
Hiram, Thoresen's, April 30.
Kaying, B. & S., April 30.
Szechuen, B. & S., April 30.
Hang Sang, Jardine's, May 9.

Tientsin.
Hunan, B. & S., April 23.
Hoihow, B. & S., April 24.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, April 27.
Hoi How, B. & S., April 30.
Hang Sang, Jardine's, May 9.

Taku.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 28.

Tsingtao.
Kwai Sang, Jardine's, April 23.
Sun Ning, B. & S., April 23.
Sui Yang, B. & S., April 25.
Norviken, Jardine's, April 26.
Fooshing, Jardine's, April 30.
Szechuen, B. & S., April 30.

Weihaiwei.
Hunan, B. & S., April 23.
Hoihow, B. & S., April 24.
Hoi How, B. & S., April 30.

EASTWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND SOUTH AMERICA

Baltimore.
Rhexenor, B. & S., May 7.
Tay Bank, Bank Line, May 8.

Boston and New York.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 26.
Silveryew, Furness, May 1.
Rhexenor, B. & S., May 7.
Tay Bank, Bank Line, May 8.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 10.
Cingalese Prince, May 15.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, May 24.

Halifax.
Silveryew, Furness, May 1.
Rhexenor, B. & S., May 7.
Tay Bank, Bank Line, May 8.
Cingalese Prince, May 15.

Honolulu.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., April 26.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 10.
Empress of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

Los Angeles.
Jutlandia, Manner's, April 26.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., April 26.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 26.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 10.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 10.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, May 24.

Mexico.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.

Panama.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 26.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 10.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, May 24.

San Francisco.
Jutlandia, Manner's, April 26.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, April 26.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., April 26.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 10.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 10.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, May 24.

Seattle.
Jutlandia, Manner's, April 26.
Ixion, B. & S., May 11.

South America (W.C.)
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 1.

Vancouver, B.C.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Jutlandia, Manner's, April 26.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., May 5.
Ixion, B. & S., May 11.
Empress of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

Victoria, B.C.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., April 21.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., May 5.
Ixion, B. & S., May 11.
Empress of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

SOUTHWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., April 22.
Nellore, P. & O., May 2.
Taiping, B. & S., May 9.

Bali.
Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, May 2.

Bangkok.
Bintang, Manner's, April 28.
Hirundo, Thoresen's, April 23.
Kwangchow, B. & S., April 23.
Hiram, Thoresen's, April 30.
Kaying, B. & S., April 30.

Batavia.
Tjikembang, J.C.J. Line, April 25.
Rhexenor, B. & S., May 7.

Haiphong.
Kiungchow, B. & S., April 21.
Yingchow, B. & S. April 28.

Hoihow.
Kiungchow, B. & S., April 21.
Anshun, B. & S., April 24.
Yingchow, B. & S. April 28.

Macassar.
Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, May 2.

Madang.
Friderun, Melcher's, May 12.

Manila.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., April 22.
Pres. Madison, Dollar, April 22.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., April 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 29.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, April 29.
Nellore, P. & O., May 2.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 2.
Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, May 2.
Fulda, Melchers', May 6.
Rhexenor, B. & S., May 7.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.
Taiping, B. & S., May 9.
Empress of Canada, C.P.S., May 12.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, May 13.
Elpenor, B. & S., May 14.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, May 16.

Pakhoi.
Kiungchow, B. & S., April 21.
Yingchow, B. & S. April 28.

Rabaul.
Nellore, P. & O., May 2.
Friderun, Melcher's, May 12.

Sandakan.
Hin Sang, Jardine's, May 3.

Sourabaya.
Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, May 2.

Tulagi.
Friderun, Melcher's, May 12.

WESTWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Athos II, Messageries', April 25.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', May 9.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

Alexandria.
Pres. Van Buren, April 29
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.

Algiers.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.

Amsterdam.
Saale, Melchers', April 23.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.

Antwerp.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

Barcelona.
Duisburg, Jebsen, May 23.
Fulda, Melchers', May 8.

Beyrouth.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.

Bombay.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 29.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.

Boston and New York.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.

Bremen.
Saale, Melchers', April 23.
Dessau, Melchers', May 5.
Fulda, Melchers', May 8.
Trave, Melchers', May 19.

Calcutta.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), April 22.
Sui Sang, Jardine's, April 26.
Calcutta Maru, April 29.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), May 6.
Kut Sang, Jardine's, May 7.
Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., May 9.

Casablanca.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.

Colombo.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Saale, Melchers', April 23.
Athos II, Messageries', April 25.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 29.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', May 9.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

Copennagen.
Asia, Manners's, May 12.

Djibouti.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Athos II, Messageries', April 25.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), April 30.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', May 9.

Dunkirk.
Dessau, Melchers', May 5.

Genoa.
Ramses, Jebsen's, April 24.
Pres. Van Buren, April 29.
Duisburg, Jebsen, May 23.
Dessau, Melchers', May 5.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.
Fulda, Melchers', May 8.
Ruhr, Jebsen's, May 11
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.

Gibraltar.
Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

Gothenburg.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.

Glasgow.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.

Hamburg.
Saale, Melchers', April 23.
Ramses, Jebsen's, April 24.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Duisburg, Jebsen, May 23.
Dessau, Melchers', May 5.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.
Fulda, Melchers', May 8.
Ruhr, Jebsen's, May 11.
Asia, Manners's, May 12.
Trave, Melchers', May 19.

Havre.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Dessau, Melchers', May 5.
Elpenor, B. & S., May 14.

Hull.
Bhetan, P. & O., April 29

Istanbul
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.

Italy.
Carignano, Dodwell's, May 9.
Conte Verde, Dodwell's, May 14.

Lisbon.
Fulda, Melchers', May 8.

Liverpool.
Elpenor, B. & S., May 14.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.

London.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 29
Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Conte Verde, Dodwell's, May 14.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

Malta.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.

Marseilles.
Saale, Melchers', April 23.
Ramses, Jebsen's, April 24.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Athos II, Messageries', April 25.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 29.
Dessau, Melchers', May 5.
Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', May 9.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.
Ruhr, Jebsen's, May 11.
Asia, Manners's, May 12.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.
Cingalese Prince, May 15.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

Mauritius.
Tinhow, Bank Line, April 25.

Naples.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 29.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Silveryew, Furness, May 1.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

Oran.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.

Oslo.
Dessau, Melchers', May 5.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.

Penang.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), April 22.
Sui Sang, Jardine's, April 26.
Calcutta Maru, April 29.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 29.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), May 6.
Kut Sang, Jardine's, May 7.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', May 9.
Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., May 9.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.
Cingalese Prince, May 15.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

Piraeus.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.

Plymouth.
Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.

Port Said.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Saale, Melchers', April 23.
Athos II, Messageries', April 25.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 29.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', May 9.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.
Asia, Manners's, May 12.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

Port Sudan.
Saale, Melchers', April 23.

Rangoon.
Calcutta Maru, April 29.
Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., May 9.

Rotterdam.
Saale, Melchers', April 23.
Ramses, Jebsen's, April 24.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Duisburg, Jebsen, May 23.
Dessau, Melchers', May 5.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.
Fulda, Melchers', May 8.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.
Ruhr, Jebsen's, May 11.
Asia, Manners's, May 12.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.
Trave, Melchers', May 19.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

Saigon.
Athos II, Messageries', April 25.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', May 9.

Scandinavian and Baltic Ports.
Asia, Manners's, May 12.

Singapore.
Afrika, Manners', April 22.
Chitral, P. & O., April 22.
Santhia, B.I. (Apcar), April 22.
Saale, Melchers', April 23.
An Shun, B. & S., April 24.
Athos II., Messageries', April 25.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 26.
Sui Sang, Jardine's, April 26.
Calcutta Maru, April 29.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 29.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 29.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Ranchi, P. & O., May 6.
Kut Sang, Jardine's, May 7.
Rhexenor, B. & S., May 7.
Canton, Gilman's, May 8.
Fulda, Melchers', May 8.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', May 9.
Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., May 9.
Sarpedon, B. & S., May 10.
Ginyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.
Asia, Manners's, May 12.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.
Elpenor, B. & S., May 14.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

Suez.
Saale, Melchers', April 23.
Athos II, Messageries', April 25.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 29.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', May 9.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 13.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.

United Kingdom and Continent.
Carignano, Dodwell's, May 9.
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Valencia.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 16.

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	"HOSANG"	Thurs., 18th May, at 7 a.m.
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	"KUTSANG"	Sun., 7th May, at 4 p.m.
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	"MAUSANG"	Wed., 17th May, at 4 p.m.
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Consignees are specially notified that it is necessary for a Revenue Officer to be present at the examination to damaged dutiable cargo.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before 7th May, 1933, or they will not be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Agents.
Hong Kong, 17th April, 1933. [721

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KATORI MARU	Saturday,	13th May
KASHIMA MARU	Saturday,	27th May

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KAMO MARU	Saturday,	22nd April
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† TOKIWA MARU	Saturday,	29th April
GINYO MARU	Thursday,	11th May

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ANDRE LEBON	... 9th May
FELIX ROUSSEL	... 23rd May
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Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships In Harbour, etc.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 9,840 TONS;
THROUGH PORTS
29,880 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports.
British.		
Empress of Japan, Manila	80	230
Agamemnon, Glasgow	920	2,420
Mirzapore, Nagoya	—	7,300
Kwaisang, Canton	—	1,000
Taiyuan, Canton	—	500
Sunning, Tsingtao	460	540
Hunan, Shanghai	80	240
Lyeemoon, Swatow	—	200
Helikon, Saigon	2,150	—
New Mathilde, Canton	—	250
Hydrangea, Swatow	150	—
Kiungchow, Shanghai	—	550
Taming, Shanghai	870	440
	4,710	13,720
Norwegian.		
Tourcoing, Oslo	740	5,010
Hermod, Bangkok	2,000	—
Norviken, Tsingtao	630	570
Wing Wo, K. C. Wan	300	—
	3,670	6,420
Japanese.		
Motevideo Maru, Kobe	—	3,470
Kitano Maru, Melbourne	40	2,850
Canton Maru, Keelung	1,270	—
Havana Maru, Yokohama	150	3,420
	1,460	9,740
Total	9,840	29,880

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Tinhow (British), Amoy and Swatow	33
Taiyuan (British), Canton	237
Sunning (British), Tsingtao and Swatow	140
Hunan (British), Shanghai and Amoy	110
Helikon (British), Saigon	124
New Mathilde (British), Canton	66
Hydrangea (British), Swatow	406
Kiungchow (British), Shanghai	59
Norviken (British), Tsingtao	133
Canton Maru (Japanese), Keelung	29
Stanley (Chinese), Swabue	184
Total	1,521

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:

	Arr.	Dep.
British	14	11
Norwegian	3	2
Portuguese	1	0
Japanese	4	1
Chinese	1	2
American	0	1
Dutch	0	1
Total	23	18

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchants ships were in port yesterday:—

Wharves.

Kowloon:—Empress of Japan, Carthage, Sirdhana, Rhur.
Jardine Matheson's:—Norviken.
O.S.K.:—Deli Maru, Canton Maru.
Douglas Lapraik:—Svale.

Docks.

Kowloon:—Limchow, Tinseng, Tinhow.

(*Continued on next Column*)

ARRIVALS.

April 19.

Konsan Maru, Japanese str., 1,556 tons, Capt. Morisaki, from Dairen, Yaumati Anchorage.—D.K.K.

Hunan, British str., 1,621 tons, Capt. E. H. Histed, from Amoy, buoy No. B18.—B. & S.

Tourcoing, Norwegian str., 3,578 tons, Capt. Gunderses, from Manila, buoy No. A8.—Thoresen & Co.

Wing Wo, Portuguese str., 495 tons, Capt. I. D. de Lemos, from K.C. Wan, buoy No. B7.—Wo Hop & Co.

Taming, British str., 1,366 tons, Capt. L. Brotchie, from Amoy, buoy No. B13.—B. & S.

April 20

Anshun, British str., 1,869 tons, Capt. J. A. McCulloch, from Amoy, buoy No. B21.—B. & S.

Roseville, Norwegian str., 3,507 tons, Capt. E. Balstad, from Shanghai, Chin Wan Anchorage.—Bank Line.

Kiungchow, British str., 1,545 tons, Capt. J. Taylor, from Canton, buoy No. B15.—B. & S.

Montevideo Maru, Japanese str., 4,387 tons, Capt. M. Yamaguchi, from Kobe, buoy No. A1.—O.S.K.

Kitano Maru, Japanese str., 4,926 tons, Capt. Y. Kawashima, from Manila, buoy No. A7.—N.Y.K.

Ruhr, German str., 3,564 tons, Capt. 3,564 tons, Capt. Fick, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—Jebsen & Co.

Prosper, Norwegian str., 1,377 tons, Capt. Hytten from Saigon, buoy No. B12.—Yuen & Co.

Lushan Maru, Japanese str., 1,507 tons, Capt. T. Tominaga, from Shanghai, Stonecutters Anchorage.—N.Y.K.

CLEARANCES

April 20.

Borneo, for Saigon.
Carthage, for Shanghai.
Deli Maru, for Swatow.
Havana Maru, for Calcutta.
Helikon, for Saigon.
Hunan, for Canton.
Hydrangea, for Swatow.
Kingyuan, for Shanghai.
Kitano Maru, for Yokohama.
Mausang, for Sandakan.
Mirzapore, for Singapore.
Norviken, for Canton.
Prominent, for Saigon.
Protesilaus, for Miike.
Ruhr, for Dairen.
Sirdhana, for Amoy.
Sunning, for Canton.
Tarcoola, for Sydney.
Tchekam, for Hoihow.
Tourcoing, for Shanghai.
Tsang Woo, for Hongay.
Van Heutsz, for Singapore.

Taikoo:—Tatsuta Maru, Breviken.
Cosmopolitan. — Scalaria, Haiyang.

Buoys.

No. A1.—Montevedo Maru.
No. A3.—Protesilaus.
No. A5.—Mirzapore.
No. A6.—Kitano Maru.
No. A7.—Tourcoing.
No. A16.—Van Heutsz.
No. B2.—Chaksang.
No. B3.—Kwangchow.
No. B4.—Hafthor.
No. B5.—Helikon.
No. B6.—Hermod.
No. B8.—Havdrot.
No. B9.—Prominent.
No. B10.—Borneo.
No. B11.—Minnie Moller.
No. B13.—Taming.
No. B14.—Changchow.
No. B15.—Kiungchow.
No. B16.—Solviken.
No. B17.—Hirundo.
No. B18.—Hunan.
No. B20.—Kingyuan.
No. C1.—Halvard.
No. C2.—Kaituna.

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following warships were in port yesterday:—
Basin.—Tamar.
South Wall.—Bruce.
East Wall.—Moorhen, Odin, Otus, Parthian Phoenix.
North Arm.—Whitehall.
West Wall.—Keppel.
Dock.—Moth, Witch, and Whitshed.
No. 1 Buoy.—Hermes.
No. 2 Buoy.—Medway.
No. 4 Buoy.—Verity.
No. 7 Buoy.—Sandwich.
No. 12 Buoy.—Wild Swan.
Foreign.—U.S.S. Asheville and Mindanao.

VESSELS DUE

Achilles, B. & S., April 23.
Ajax, B. & S., June 13.
Antenor, B. & S., May 26.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 6.
Andre Lebon, Messageries', May 9.
Athos II., Messageries, April 25.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., April 26.
Bhutan, P. & O., April 28.
Burdwan, P. & O., May 12.
Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., April 28.
Chitral, P. & O., April 21.
Changte, B. & S., June 9.
City of Shanghai, Bank Line, May 12.
Dakar Maru, N.Y.K., April 23.
Danmark, Manners', April 27.
D'Artagnan, Messageries', April 25.
Deucalion, B. & S., April 25.
Dolius, B. & S., June 15.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., April 26.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., May 12.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., June 9.
Empress of Russia, C.P.S., May 24.
Eumaeus, B. & S., May 7.
Felix Roussel, Messageries', May 23.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., May 12.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., April 28.
Ixion, B. & S., May 3.
Japan, Gilman's, April 21.
Kaisar-I-Hind, P. & O., May 17.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., April 21.
Lushan Maru, N.Y.K., April 22.
Machaon, B. & S., May 22.
Mantua, P. & O., May 31.
Maron, B. & S., May 12.
Menanon, B. & S., May 12.
Menelaus, B. & S., May 19.
Naldera, P. & O., May 3.
Nankin, E. & A., June 3.
Nellore, E. & A., April 30.
Patroclus, B. & S., April 28.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, June 9.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M., Line, April 28.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, June 12.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, May 12.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, May 15.
Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, May 15.
Pres. Jefferson, Dollar's, June 2.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, May 1.
Pres. Madison, Dollar's, April 21.
Pres. Polk, Dollar's, May 26.
Pres. Taft, Dollar's, May 19.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, April 28.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar's, May 29.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 25.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., May 19.
Rawalpinli, P. & O., June 9.
Seale, Melchers', April 21.
Sauerland, Jebsen, April 30.
Silveryew, Furness, May 1.
Somali, P. & O., June 7.
Suiyang, B. & S., April 22.
Sungshan Maru, N.Y.K., May 2.
Tai Ping, B. & S., May 9.
Takada, B.I. (Apcar), April 30.
Talma, B.I. (Apcar), May 2.
Tanda, E. & A., May 4.
Tantalus, B. & S., May 22.
Teiresias, B. & S., June 4.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 15.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., April 28.
Tottori Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Tilawa, B.I. (Apcar), May 16.
Troilus, B. & S., June 10.
Trier, Melchers', May 5.
Tyndareus, B. & S., June 14.
Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., May 5.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., April 25.

FAREWELL TO MR. A. J. P. COGHLAN

SHANGHAI POLICE OFFICERS GIVE DINNER.

Shanghai, April 14.—Mr. A. J. P. Coghlan, Assistant Commissioner of Police who leaves Shanghai to-morrow on retirement, was the guest at a dinner given by officers of the force at the Shanghai Club last night.

Major F. W. Gerrard, Commissioner, was in the chair, the other officers present being the Extra Commissioner, Capt. R. M. J. Martin; Deputy Commissioners, Mr. M. O. Springfield, Major K. M. Bourne, and Mr. R. C. Aiers, and Mr. R. G. MacDonald (Specials); Assistant Commissioners, Major F. L. Wainwright, Messrs. E. C. Baker, S. C. Young and T. P. Givens, Capt. E. R. Kennedy, Mr. Yao Tseng Moo and Capt. H. M. Smyth, and Messrs. W. J. Gande, R. G. Herbert and C. C. Tao (Specials), as well as Mr. A. L. Anderson, ex-Assistant Commissioner of the Police Specials.

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"RANCHI"	17,000	6th May	Bombay, Marseilles and London
"CARTHAGE"	14,000	20th May	do.
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"KAISAR-I-HIND"	12,000	17th June	do.
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"MANTUA"	11,000	1st July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	15th July	do.
†*"SOMALI"	6,800	22nd July	Bombay, Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull.
"RANPURA"	17,000	29th July	Bombay, Marseilles and London
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	12th Aug.	do.
†*"BANGALORE"	6,000	19th Aug.	Bombay, Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull.
"RANCHI"	17,000	26th Aug.	Marseilles and London.
"CARTHAGE"	14,000	9th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
†*"BHUTAN"	6,000	16th Sept.	B'bay., Mars., Havre, L'don., H'bg., R'dm., A'werp. & Hull
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"TANDA"	7,000	5th May	S'hai., Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'hama.
*"BURDWAN"	6,500	13th May	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
"KAISAR-I-HIND"	12,000	18th May	do.
"TILAWA"	10,000	18th May	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"MANTUA"	11,000	1st June	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"SANTHIA"	8,000	1st June	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"NANKIN"	7,000	4th June	S'hai., Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Y'hama.
†*"SOMALI"	6,800	12th June	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	15th June	do.
"TAKADA"	7,000	15th June	Amoy, S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"SIRDHANA"	8,000	29th June	do.
"RANPURA"	17,000	29th June	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
*"BANGALORE"	6,000	12th July	do.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	13th July	do.
"RANCHI"	17,000	27th July	do.
*"BHUTAN"	6,000	9th Aug.	do.
"CARTHAGE"	14,000	10th Aug.	do.
"NALDERA"	16,000	24th Aug.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
*"SOUDAN"	6,800	5th Sept.	Shanghai, Kobe & Y'hama.
"CORFU"	14,000	7th Sept.	do.
"MANTUA"	11,000	21st Sept.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
*"BURDWAN"	6,100	4th Oct.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
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HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, April 2 ,

	Previous Day at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer...	29.83	29.94	29.83
Temperature	73	72	66
Humidity.	86	81	90
Wind—			
Direction	SW	N	E
Force ...	2	1	4
Weather ...	OP	OD	OB
Rain	0.43	0.0	1.01

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HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From April 21, to 27 1933.

Days of Week	Date of Month	High Water. Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.	Low Water. Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Fri	21	08 45	4 9	01 14	1 4
		19 24	5 7	12 59	3 0
Sat.	22	08 3.	5 3	01 48	1 6
		20 19	5 6	13 49	2 3
Sun.	23	08 56	5 6	02 14	1 8
		21 05	5 4	14 4	1 8
Mon.	24	09 18	6 0	02 37	2 1
		21 49	5 1	15 15	1 4
Tues.	25	09 40	6 3	03 0	2 3
		22 31	4 8	15 56	1 2
Wed	26	10 01	6 5	03 20	2 5
		23 13	4 4	16 37	1 1
Thur.	27	10 24	6 6	03 38	2 6
		23 57	4 0	17 21	1 2

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Reserve Liability of Proprietors £3,000,000

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ALOR STAR	ILOILO	SAIGON
AMRITSAR	IPOH	SEMARANG
BANGKOK	KARACHI	SERREMBAN
BATAVIA	KLANG	SHANGHAI
BOMBAY	KOBE	SINGAPORE
CALCUTTA	KUALA	SITIAWAN
CANTON	LUMPUR	SOURABAYA
CAWNPORE	KUCHING	TAIPING
CEBU	MADRAS	TIENTSIN
COLOMBO	MANILA	TONGKAH (Bunket)
DELHI	MEDAN	TSINGTAO
HAIPHONG	NEW YORK	YOKOHAMA
HAMBURG	PEIPING	ZAMBOANGA
HANKOW	(Peking)	
HARBIN	PENANG	
HONG KONG	RANGOON	

FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking Business transacted.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application.

A. BREARLEY,
Manager.
Hong Kong, Nov. 17th, 1932 [30

BANQUE FRANCO-CHINOISE POUR LE COMMERCE ET L'INDUSTRIE

(Incorporated in France).
Prince's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hong Kong.

HEAD OFFICE:
74, Rue St. Lazare, Paris.

	Frs.
Capital, fully paid-up	50,000,000
Special Working Capital.	50,000,000
Reserves	33,352,000

BRANCHES:—

Paris	Lyon	Marseilles
Saigon	Haiphong	Hanoi
Tourane	Pnom Penh	Hue
Peiping	Shanghai	Tientsin
	Hong Kong	

BANKERS:
France: Banque de Paris et des Pays Bas, Société Générale.
London: Midland Bank, Ltd.
New York: Irving Trust Co., Banca Commerciale Italiana.
San Francisco: Bank of America, National Trust and Savings Association.

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
Correspondents throughout the World.

A. L. BRUSSET,
Acting Manager
Hong Kong, 7th Feb., 1933.

OVERSEA-CHINESE BANKING CORPORATION, LTD.

(INCORPORATED IN THE STRAITS SETTLEMENT)

SUCCESSORS TO
THE HO HONG BANK, LTD,
THE CHINESE COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.
and
THE OVERSEA-CHINESE BANK, LTD.

Head Office:—SINGAPORE.
Hongkong Branch:—13, Queen's Rd. C.
Authorised Capital...Straits $40,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital .....Straits $10,000,000.00

Branches and Agencies in the principal cities of the world.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

OHUA KEH HAI,
Manager.

NEDERLANDSCH INDISCHE HANDELSBANK, N.V.

(NETHERLANDS INDIA COMMERCIAL BANK)

Established 1863 at Amsterdam.

Authorised Capital
[...Glds. 100 000,000.00
Paid up Capita ...Glds. 55 00.000.00
Reserve Fun ..... Glds. 29, .000.00

Head Office:—AMSTERDAM.

Head Office for Asia:—BATAVIA.

Branches in Dutch East Indies, India, Singapore China and Japan.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Current Accounts, Deposits, etc.

J. M. MORHAUS,
Acting Manager.

BANK OF CHINA.

Reorganised October 26, 1928, under special charter of The National Government as an INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE BANK.

Subscribed Capital.....$25,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital:.....$24,710,200.00
Reserve Funds $3,890,503.92

HEAD OFFICE:—SHANGHAI.

HONG KONG BRANCH:
4, Queen's Road Central.

Owing to our numerous branches in China and large connections in the important commercial centres of the world, we are able to extend to our clients special facilities for domestic and foreign banking and exchange.

We also handle the issue of Bonds and other Public Funds of the Chinese Government both at home and abroad.

SHOU J. CHEN,
Manager.

THE AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, INC.

Head Office.
65, BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

Capital ..... U.S.$6,000,000.00
Surplus ..... U.S.$1,832,332.04
Reserves ..... U.S.$1,458,116.73

BRANCHES:—

Amsterdam	Edinburgh	Legano[i]	Palermo
Antwerp	Florence	Luxor	Rotterda
Athens	Geneva	Marseilles	Rome
Basle	Genoa	Monte Carlo	Stamboul
Berlin	Glasgow	Manila	Shanghai
Biarritz	Havana	Munich	Southamp
Bombay	Hamburg	Montreux	Ion
Bremen	Havre	Milan	Singapore
Brussels	Interlaken	Naples	St. Moritz
Buenos Aires	Jerusalem	Nice	Tientsin
Cairo	Kobe	Piraeus	Vienna
Calcutta	London	Paris	Venice
Cannes	Liverpool	Penang	Yokohama
Colombo	Lucerne	Peiping	Zurich
Copenhagen			

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R. W. DUGGAN,
Manager.

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE: HONG KONG.

No. 10, Des Voeux Road, Central.
Established: 1918.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital 5,598,600.00
Reserve and Undivided Profits 2,312,000.00

Branches and Agencies:—

Amoy	Melbourne	Semarang
Batavia	Nagasaki	Shanghai
Bombay	New York	Singapore
Calcutta	Osaka	Sourabaya
Canton	Paris	Swatow
Haiphong	Peiping	Sydney
Hankow	Penang	Taihoku
Honolulu	Rangoon	Tientsin
Kobe	Saigon	Tokyo
Kowloon	San Francisco	Vancouver
London		Yokohama
Manila	Seattle	

Correspondents in all principal cities of the World.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Loan granted on approved securities.
Safe Deposit Boxes To Let.

KAN TONG PO,
Chief Manager.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

Capital (fully paid up) Yen 100,000,000
Reserve Fund .....Yen 119,750,000

HEAD OFFICE: YOKOHAMA.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES AT:

Alexandria	Honolulu	Rio de Janeiro
Batavia	Hsinking	Rangoon
Berlin	Kai Yuen	Soerabaya
Bombay	Karachi	San Francisco
Calcutta	Kobe	Seattle
Canton	London	Semarang
Dairen (Dalny)	Los Angeles	Shanghai
Fengtien (Mukden)	Manila	Shimonoseki
Hamburg	Nagasaki	Singapore
Harbin	Nagoya	Sydney
Hong Kong	Newchwang	Tientsin
	New York	Tokyo
	Osaka	Tsingtao
	Paris	
	Peiping	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts.
Deposits received for Fixed Periods at rates to be obtained on application.

H. MORI, Manager.
Hong Kong, March 13, 1933. [25

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Accepting cargo for Swatow, Bangkok and Singapore.
Limited passenger accommodation available.

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Butterfield & Swire, [6

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INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
JAPAN	*Kamo Maru* ..	21st Apr.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Chitral*	21st Apr.
SHANGHAI and SWATOW	*Suiyang* ..	22nd Apr.
SHANGHAI and EUROPE via SIBERIA (London, 30th March)	*Foochow* ..	23rd Apr.
SHANGHAI and AMOY	*Tsinan*	23rd Apr.
MANILA	*General Sherman*	23rd Apr.
STRAITS	*Achilles*	23rd Apr.
MANILA	*Pres. Coolidge*	24th Apr.
SHANGHAI	*Athos II*	25th Apr.
SAIGON	*D'Artagnan* ..	25th Apr.
STRAITS	*Yokukuni Maru* ...	25th Apr.
SHANGHAI	*Dencalion* ...	26th Apr.
CANADA, U.S.A., JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Vancouver, B.C., 8th April) ...	*Empress of Asia*..	26th Apr.
STRAITS	*Bengal Maru* ..	26th Apr.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 31st March) ...	*Pres. Van Buren*	28th Apr.
SHANGHAI	*Bhutan* ...	28th Apr.
LONDON Parcels only London, 23rd Mar.	*Patroclus*	28th Apr.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	*Haruna Maru* ..	28th Apr.
JAPAN	*Tokiwa Maru* ..	28th Apr.
JAPAN	*Calcutta Maru* ..	28th Apr.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 8th April)	*Pres. Cleveland*	28th Apr.
JAPAN...	*Nellore*	30th Apr.

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For	Per	Date and Time
		Friday, 21st,
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *EUROPE via Vancouver, B.C., —due Vancouver, B.C., 9th May and *EUROPE via Siberia ...	*Emp. of Japan*	Reg. 9.15 A M Letters 10.00 A M
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa and *South American Ports	*Montevideo Maru*	10.0 A M
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong ...	*Kiungchow*	Noon
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow ...	*Haisang*	2.00 P M
Bangkok	*Haifhor*	4.30 P M
Calcutta via Straits	*Santhia*	Parcels 5.00 P M Letters 5.00 P M *Kowloon P.O.*
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 19th May	*Chitral*... ...	Par. 21st, 4.30 P M Reg. 22nd, 9.00 A M Letters 10.00 A M *G.P.O.* Par. 21st, 5.00 P M Reg. 22nd, 9.45 A M Letters 10.30 A M
		Saturday, 22nd,
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island, 4th May...	*Kamo Maru* ..	Reg. 8.45 A M Letters 9.30 A M
Amoy	*Huichow*	3.30 P M
Dairen	*Taming*	3.30 P M
Shanghai, Japan U.S.A., Canada, Central and South America and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 15th May and *EUROPE via Siberia	*General Sherman*	Reg. 4.15 P M Letters 5.00 P M
Foochow via Swatow	*Hunan*	5.00 A M
Bangkok via Swatow	*Kowloon* ..	9.00 A M
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	*Canton Maru* ..	9.00 A M
		Monday, 24th,
Swatow	*Hydrangea* ...	3.00 P M
		Tuesday, 25th,
Batavia	*Tjikembang* ..	10.30 A M
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Mail Service" ...	Athos II...	*K.P.O.* Reg. Noon Let. Noon *G.P.O.* Reg. 12.30 P M Let. 1.00 P M *Kowloon P.O.*
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 26th May	*Athos II* ...	Reg. 1.00 P M Let. 1.00 P M *G.P.O.* Reg. 1.45 P M Letters 2.30 P M
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	*Tonkin*	1.00 P M
Shanghai	*D'Artagnan* ...	2.00 P M
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow ...	*Haisang* ...	2.00 P M
*Shanghai, *Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Canada, Central and South America and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 16th May	*Pres. Coolidge* ...	Parcels 3.00 P M Reg. 4.15 P M Letters 5.00 P M
Shanghai Japan and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Yokukuni Maru* ...	5.00 P M
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Canada, C. and S. America, and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 17th May ...	*Tatsuta Maru*...	Reg. 25th 5.00 P M Let. 26th, 5.30 A M
		Wednesday, 26th,
Saigon, Mauritius, Reunion *Lourenco Marque and *South Africa	*Tinhow*	1.30 P M
*Straits and Calcutta	*Suisang*... ...	Parcels 1.00 P M Letters 2.00 P M *Kowloon P.O.*
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East, and South Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 26th May	*Dencalion* ...	Reg. 1.00 P M Let. 1.00 P M *G.P.O.*
Manila	*Empress of Asia* ,,	Reg. 1.45 P M Let. 2.30 P M 3.30 P M
		Friday, 28th,
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow ...	*Hai Ning* ...	2.00 P M
Manila	*Pres. Van Buren*	5.00 P M

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